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# Austrian Minister Criticized

Sinowatz Calls Greeting of Nazi Serious Mistake

VIENNA - Chancellor Fred Sinowatz censured Defense Minister Friedhelm Frischenschlager on Friday for meeting a Nazi war criminal released by Italy. The chancellor described the action as "a serious political mistake."

But Mr. Frischenschlager defended his airport meeting Thursday with Walter Reder, former SS major, and his decision to accompany him to nearby Baden. Mr. Reder, 69, taken to Baden army barracks by a military helicopter, remained in seclusion there Friday.

The affair clearly strained the government of Mr. Sinowatz's Socialists and their junior coalition partner, the Freedom Party, to which Mr. Frischenschlager be-

Several Socialist politicians called for Mr. Frischenschlager's resignation, and members of Austria's Jewish community said his meeting showed the strength of farright elements in the Freedom Par-

An Italian court sentenced Mr. Reder to life in prison in 1954, for the 1944 killing by troops under his command of about 600 civilians in Marzabotto, north Italy.

A military tribunal ruled in 1980 that he could be released this July 15. Last month, citizens of Marzabotto that a request by Mr. Reder for an early release be rejected.

The Austrian government had asked for Mr. Reder's release for years, officially on humanitarian grounds. But Mr. Sinowatz's prede-122 cessor, Breno Kreisky, said the government also wanted Mr. Reder to be freed out of concern that his death in prison could make him a

manusche Mr. Sinowatz, in a television in-"terview, criticized "the personal oresence and the greeting of Walter Reder by the defense minister and dissociated himself from it. He called on Mr. Reder to "avoid ev-



Friedhelm Frischenschlager

erything that could hint" at activity cted to his Nazi past Mr. Frischenschlager, in an interview with the mass-circulation

newspaper Kurier, said he decided to meet and accompany Mr. Reder, who has a serious stomach disorder, to ensure that his premature The agreement is seen by govern-

"I surely did not act without mistakes but I do not think my mistake non with a sense of relief but was serious enough to force my also disillusionment. Page 2.

quoted as saying that Foreign Min-ister Leopold Gratz had demanded condition for large increases in aid the strictest secrecy. He added: "I just wanted to enforce this."

voke protests in both countries.

g Mr. Frischenschlager's role, Simon Wiesenthal, head of the

government in this way."
Mr. Wiesenthal also charged that
"a large part of the members and
voters of the Freedom Party are

former Nazis." ly conservative wing but its members consistently deny that it is a

refuge of extreme rightists.
Mr. Frischenschlager, 41, is considered to belong to the party's lib-eral element, which has been making headway against the conservative strongly nationalist faction in recent years.

# Turkish Cypriot Leader Plans Elections in June

NICOSIA — The breakaway
Turkish Republic of Northern after the failure of intercommunal talks on the future of the divided island, Rauf Denktash, the Turkish Cypriot leader, said Friday.

But a statement by Mr. Denktash added: "Completing our con-stitution and holding elections do not close the door to a federal solution. On the contrary, they strengthen those who will attend the talks."

Mr. Denktash said that he was withdrawing concessions he made luring preparations for the talks, reld at the United Nations in New York. The talks, aimed at setting np a federal, bizonal republic, end-ed last Sunday.

His principal concessions were o drop a demand for a rotating Freek Cypriot and Turkish Cypriit presidency and to offer to reduce he area under his control from 37 ercent to 29 percent of the island. Inkish troops have occupied the orth of Cyprus since they invaded a 1974 after an Athens-inspired coup against the government of Archbishop Makarios.

Mr. Denktash said that presidential and local elections would be held over a month from June 15. Parliamentary elections would be held on June 23.

recognized only by Turkey.

York were mediated by the UN secretary general, Javier Pérez de Cuéllar. They were the first time that Mr. Denktash and President Spyros Kyprianou had met face to face since 1979. Political sources in Nicosia said

carried out beforehand.

The present Constituent Assembly has 40 members elected in 1981 under an earlier constitution and

The Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, declared in 1983, is

The four days of talks in New

that details of the Turkish Cypriot election were still under discussion and it was not clear whether a draft constitution for the breakaway state, published last June, would be

# Israelis Agree on Economy

Accord Extends Controls Over Wages, Prices

By Edward Walsh

JERUSALEM — Representa-tives of the three main power centers in the Israeli economy have reached agreement on an extension of economic controls that Prime Minister Shimon Peres described as "one of the most important and far-reaching agreements" in the country's history.

release and return would be kept ment officials as at least a partial

Mr. Frischenschlager was response to U.S. demands for more

to Israel. The accord was signed late Officials said that both Italy and Thursday night by officials of the

Austria decided to keep Mr. national unity government; the Reder's early release confidential Histadrut, the trade union federaout of concern that it would pro- tion; and the Manufacturers' Association. It provides for deep cuts in Officials of the World Jewish government subsidies of basic con-Congress, preparing to open a sumer products and a series of conthree-day meeting here Saturday, trolled wage and price increases joined Austrian Jews in condemnation at preventing Israel's rampant inflation from re-igniting.

The agreement will replace a Jewish Documentation Center here three-month wage and price freeze, and president of the Union of the which expires next month. It was Jewish Persecuted, said that no feared that, had the three sides Austrian Jew returning from a Nazi failed to agree on a continuation of concentration camp "was ever re-controls after the freeze, there ceived by a member of the Austrian would have been an explosion of price rises, triggering cost-of-living pay raises and setting off a new inflationary spiral.

The accord is to become effective on Feb. 4 and last for eight months, The Freedom Party has a strong-but only during the first five months is the agreement binding. After July 1, any of the parties can ask for a review of its terms or unilaterally renounce the pact.

Speaking to reporters Thursday night at the end of the negotiations. Mr. Peres called the agreement "an almost unprecedented step in a

"This is not a passing agreement, but a powerful economic step, which I am convinced will bring about recovery for the entire economy," he said. "I am sure that the country's economy has taken its first steps on the right road, and we will start to grow. This country has enormous potential."

In addition to its economic impact, the agreement has important political ramifications as Israel begins an effort to win a huge increase in economic aid from the Reagan

administration and Congre In a recent letter to Mr. Peres, Secretary of State George P. Shultz warned that Israel could not expect a substantial increase in its aid package if it failed to take additional steps to correct its stagnant, in-

flation-ridden economy.

A senior Israeli economic official who was involved in the negotiations on extending controls said Friday that it was hoped that the new agreement would help satisfy

the Shultz conditions. "We tried to do our best," he said. "We cut all of our expenditures. Now we need a little more help from the U.S. to bridge the

The Peres government, however, has still not accomplished one of the key measures in its overall eco-30 nominated by Mr. Denktash. nomic program involving cuts in Moves to approve the new con- the government budget. The cabibegan soundings for new talks. the fiscal year that begins April 1.



Together after signing the Israeli economic agreement Thursday night were, from left, Deputy Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, Prime Minister Shimon Peres, Finance Minister Yitzhak Modai and Israel Kessar, a union representative. The accord lasts eight mouths.

ability to do so in this case, where

the reporter who filed the errone-

ous item about him, David Halevy,

viously for inaccurate reporting, called Mr. Sharon "a ruthless lead-

moreland's suit against CBS.

French Defense

Ministry Official

was shot and killed at his home late

The outlawed terrorist organiza-

tion Direct Action claimed it had

director of international affairs at

the ministry, in an anonymous tele-

phone call to the French news

He was hit by six bullets in the

western Paris suburb of La Celle-

Saint Cloud, police said. The minis-

AFP said a caller identifying

"Signed commando Elizabeth

Von Dick, member of the Red

Army Faction, killed at Nuremberg in 1978," the caller said. Miss Von

Direct Action, created in 1979.

himself as a member of the leftist

try said that Mr. Audran super-

vised arms sales contracts.

agency Agence France-Presse.

killed René Audran. 55, assistant

Friday, the ministry said.

officials became law.

requirement can be.

# Sharon Suit: A Solomonic End Ruling on Malice Raises More Issues Than It Resolved

By David Margolick New York Times Service NEW YORK - When Judge Abraham D. Sofaer asked the ju-

rors in Ariel Sharon's suit against Time magazine to consider the case in three stages, he was seeking to simplify the difficult task they faced. They had to apply the com-plicated law of libel to a morass of conflicting testimony on the reporting process at Time, Israel's actions in Lebanon and Mr. Sharon

But when the jury returned its third and final decision on Thursday, the formula suddenly seemed

By providing an outcome that left both Time and Mr. Sharon claiming victory, the trial brought about the sort of settlement the parties were unable to reach by themselves, and, in the and, spen! more than \$3 million to secure

The jury ruled that Time had defamed Mr. Sharon — had subjected him to ridicule, hatred and contempt - when it reported that he had met with Lebanese Phalangist leaders shortly before the Sabra and Chatila massacres in Beirut and "discussed the need" to avenge the assassination of Lebanon's president-elect, Bashir Gemayel.

Time had erred, the jury further found, when it reported that details of this discussion could be found in a secret part of an Israeli report.

But the jury concluded its 11 days of deliberations by finding that Time had not acted with "actual malice." Time, it held, neither knew that what it had reported was false nor entertained serious doubts about its truthfulness.

Time had been careless, even Gunmen Murder negligent, in its reporting, the jury declared in a statement, but not reckless or deceitful.

As in the dividing of a baby, however, this was not fully acceptable to either party.

Mr. Sharon never expected to PARIS — A high-ranking offi-win even a fraction of the \$50 million in damages he sought — mon-ey that, he pledged, would have gone toward anti-terrorist activities and disabled Israeli war veterans.

Now the former Israeli defense minister will not get any money at all. That may not pose a financial problem for Mr. Sharon, whose lawyers have not expected him to stitution and hold elections were net has agreed in principle to a cover the costs of the case on his shelved after Mr. Perez de Cuellar \$1.1-billion cut in the budget for own. For the firm, Shea & Gould. of Manhattan, the outcome is more roblematical. It spent more than \$1.5 million on the case and has recouped \$350,000, mostly from

> Time, too, spent far more than Direct Action group claimed "the \$1 million, most going to the firm execution" of Mr. Audran. of Cravath. Swaine & Moore, of "Signed commando El Manhattan. Time's costs, however. have not been solely financial. As a result of the case, its editorial processes and personnel have Dick was killed by West German been scrutinized, and criticized, as police in her Nuremberg apartment

> Because Time technically won the case, it can appeal the jury's was banned by the French governdecisions on defamation and falsity ment in 1982. It claimed the killing only in the court of public opinion, of two policemen last May.

A New York lawyer specializing in First Amendment questions. not a higher court of law. Time's victory in court, with the jury concluding, in effect, that the magazine Floyd Abrams, said the Sharon dewas only careless, could well prove liberations demonstrated that, in Pyrrhic in the public forum. the hands of a conscientious jury, Without proving actual malice, "public figures" such as Mr. Sharthe Sullivan standard works well. By protecting the press, even where on cannot win libel suits. His inhad honestly erred, he said, it provided the "breathing room" needed to cover controversial is-sues and personalities. **NEWS ANALYSIS** 

"Historically, it's been very difficult for juries to separate the different issues put to them in libel cases," he said. "Here we had a jury which worked terribly hard and had a demonstrable bias against him, was a further reminder of precisely how substantial a hurdle this was able to distinguish between its own ruling that Time had reported At one point, Mr. Halevy, a Time

correspondent in Jerusalem who proposition that Time had lied." had been placed on probation pre-Lawyers for Mr. Sharon countered that because actual malice was in fact impossible to prove, the standard insulated the press from er" with a "naked ambition for sloppy, irresponsible reporting. Another time, he lumped what

something that wasn't true and the

political vindication in Israel with again that, under the Sollivan rule, what he called "other signs of mys-ticism, fascism and radicalism." the news media are virtually above the law," said Arnold Forster, of The requirement of actual malice Shea & Gould. is sure to influence the record num-

Many juries have found actual ber of libel actions, involving pubmalice in libel cases since the Sullilie officials, that are pending van decision, but barely one in four throughout the United States. That of the verdicts has survived. The includes General William C. Westappellate judges, usually on the That actual malice was not ground the jurors did not properly found in the Sharon case has reunderstand the law.

newed the 20-year-old debate over The New York Times v. Sullivan, Ariel Sharon plans to pursue the libel suit he filed against Time the landmark U.S. Supreme Court decision in which the test for public magazine in Israel. Page 2.

# Dole Attacks Weinberger on **Arms Spending**

WASHINGTON - Robert J.

Dole, the Republican majority leader in the Senate, sharply criti-cized Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger on Friday and warned that the Reagan administration's efforts to reduce federal deficits could falter if it does not yield more

on military spending. Senator Dole accused Mr. Weinberger of trying to block efforts to reduce the budget deficit, saying: "Don't count on me if Weinberger continues to sit it out."

In an unusually sharp attack on a Republican administration official, the Kansas Republican also accused Mr. Weinberger of using inflated economic figures to exagger-

ate Pentagon cost-cutting.
They've been able to survive over there without much difficul-ty," Mr. Dole said in a speech to public relations officials. "I think the rest of the country needs to

Republican senators, led by Mr. Dole, are writing their own set of budget proposals in an effort to reduce next year's projected budget deficit by \$50 billion.

Working with the White House, the Republican Senate leadership is seeking a smaller increase in military executions their President Romans.

tary spending than President Ron-

ald Reagan has proposed.

Mr. Dole suggested that Mr.

Weinberger's attitude on military

spending was hampeting the bud-get efforts of Senate Republicans. "I'm willing to go after sensitive programs," he said of domestic programs that President Reagan wants to cut. "But don't count on me if Weinberger continues to sit it out. We're in real trouble if we can't get together on defense num-

"I won't say everything is lost if we don't get more defense spending restraint, Mr. Dole said, but we might be close to it."

Mr. Weinberger has agreed to trim \$8.7 billion from an proposed

defense budget of \$286 billion, but that figure still represents a substantial increase over the current Mr. Weinberger has repeatedly

cautioned congressional leaders not to include Pentagon spending in any across-the-board spending The House minority leader, Rob-

ert Michel, Republican of Illinois, also voiced frustration on Friday with Mr. Weinberger's uncompromising attitude, but in a gentler rest were reversed, either by trial or fashion than his Senate colleague. "I never saw a defense budget that couldn't be cut," Mr. Michel

> Reagan to Push Programs President Reagan, seeking to translate his personal popularity into political leverage for the bud-

system, has decided to "take his case to the people," administration officials told The New York Times on Thursday.

President Reagan will press for the spending cuts and tax simplification in speeches, interviews and television appearances around the country, the officials said.

A key element in the plan, offi-cials said, is for Mr. Reagan to address groups of young profes-sionals involved in high-technology and space industries, where he will discuss the future in terms of reducing the federal budget deficit.

Under Mr. Reagan's budget "freeze" concept, the military bud-get for the fiscal year 1986 would be allowed to increase by about 6 percent after inflation while nonmilitary domestic programs would be held at 1985 levels, reduced even

# U.K. Miners, Coal Board Agree to Start Talks Tuesday

LONDON - Leaders of Britain's striking coal miners and the National Coal Board will hold preliminary talks next week about ending the 10-month strike, officials announced Friday. But the union rejected the state's terms for full negotiations.

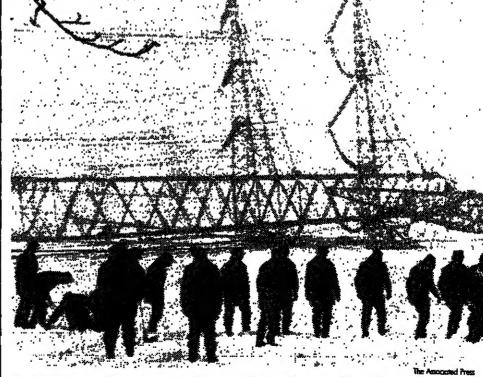
separate announcements each side said the invitation had come from the other. A coal board spokesman, Michael Eaton, said the talks, between second-ranking union and board officials, would be

held on Tuesday. We have responded positively to the letter received from the National Union of Mineworkers indicating that an informal discussion will take place to set the parameters

for further negotiations," he said. The union's president, Arthur Scargill, said in a brief statement that the union had accepted a board invitation. The union had offered on Thursday to negotiate

without preconditions." But the fundamental dispute remained. The union rejected demands by Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher that it accept in writing the principle of closing money-los-ing mines before full talks are held. Mick McGahey, the deputy leader of the union, said it would give

no guarantees before talks. He told (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)



SABOTAGE — West German police searched in the snow for evidence after a bomb blast damaged three electricity pylons Friday, shutting down a nuclear power plant at Krümmel, 40 kilometers southeast of Hamburg. The power station cut out automatically when the blast sent a high-tension pylon crashing down, dragging two others after it. No one claimed responsibility for the attack, the third against the plant in four months.

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SPORTS Quarterback Doug Flutic, the Heisman Trophy winner, will play football for the New



Max M. Kampelman, head of the U.S. delegation to the new set of arms control talks with the Soviet Union.

Tass, reacting to reports of an unpublished article about arms control by Max M. Kampelman, Zbigniew Brzezinski and Robert Jastrow, called Mr. Kampelman a hard-liner who would treat talks "skeptically." Their article, to appear in The New York Times on Sunday, will be printed in full on Monday in the International Herald Tribune.

### Vietnamese Deserters, in Thailand, Seek Refuge 'Anywhere' By Barbara Crossette New York Times Service

in May 1978.

BANGKOK -- Huynh Quoc Tuan, his rumpled shirt too big for his small frame, was barefoot and trembling when Thailand's top military chiefs paraded him before the press. A week ago Thursday this 18-year-old plumber from Ho Chi Minh City, who did

dia and deserted the Vietnamese Army. According to Thai authorities, more than 30 of Mr. Tuan's fellow soldiers have done the same since early January, when the Vietnamese took the Ampil border camp, the

put on display in the Thai Supreme Com- Vietnam-China border. mand's cavernous briefing room in Bangkok.

encouraged to tell their stories. Thai officers say defectors like these have not want to be a soldier, came over Bridge No. 3 at the Ampil border camp in Cambo-No high-ranking officers are reported to that the border could be turned over to Refugees Reported Slain have deserted, however, so reports are main- Cambodian troops.

ly from lower-level personnel in the field.

Phnom Penh government because forces country," they said.

The defectors reported through their and cameras, said they wanted a new home Under the glare of television lights, they were spokesman, Second Lieutenant Nguyen Van "anywhere where someone would take us." Hung, whose words were translated by a A spokesman for the That Supreme Com-Thai Army interpreter. They said that the mand said after the briefing that defectors given them valuable insights into Hanoi's Vietnamese had been told to clear out the were being kept in restricted military areas. strategies in this year's dry-season offensive. Cambodian resistance camps this year so "not prisons.

tions have become regular; two more were armed groups trying to overthrow the these Cambodians from getting into the

Thursday, Mr. Tuan and five other Viet- from the north of Vietnam, who had previ- All six, flanked by a Buddhist shrine and a namese defectors, two of them officers, were ously done the job, were being moved to the portrait of the King of Thailand, and carefully numbered and identified for the reporters

Vietnamese troops and Cambodian rebels The Vietnamese said they had been or- battled along a 43-mile (70-kilometer) front The six young men at Thursday's briefing, dered to dig canals or trenches along the Friday after a Vietnamese artillery barrage none older than 24, were all from the south Cambodian side of the border to obstruct that killed 15 persons in a refugee camp near headquarters of the Khmer People's Nationof Vietnam. They said they had been sent to troops and equipment entering Cambodia the Thai border, United Press International
al Liberation Front. The Thais say the defection Aranya prathet. Thailand.

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# Israelis Leave Lebanon With Relief — 'It's Their Problem' Now

By Edward Walsh

Washington Post Service

MASHNAKA, Lebanon — Except for the three
blindfolded Arab prisoners riding in the back of one of
the trucks, most of the men in the convoy were smiling.

Their grinning force could be seen through the wind. Their grinning faces could be seen through the wind-shields of about 12 vehicles that lumbered slowly down a narrow mountain road. They were headed

The convoys have been rolling for several days, carrying soldiers and the dismantled remnants of what was Israel's defense line along the Awali River. The trucks in the convoy were laden with the litter of a departing army and with huge concrete blocks that the Israelis used to barricade the entrances to their bases run sharply northeast, keeping within the Israeli zone and outposts in the hostile southern Lebanese

For the soldiers who are leaving with the equipment, there is a clear sense of liberation from what has become the increasingly dangerous task of military occupation. There is also disgust with the ways of Lebanon and deep disillusionment, especially with the Lebanese Christians, who had been thought of as Israel's allies in this country of warring religious

"I was scared all the time," said Sergeant Benny Pakulov. "It's their problem, not ours any more. We

ate it enough here already."

Another soldier, who asked not to be identified, said of the Christians; "They proved to be unreliable allies. They didn't do anything, and when they did, they did Sabra and Chatila." He was referring to the massacres at two Palestinian refugee camps in Beirut in 1982. The soldiers were among dozens here who watched idly as a large construction crane with Hebrew letter-ing on its sides lifted one of several temporary housing

units onto a flatbed truck for the trip back to Israel.

All along the Awali River, similar scenes are unfolding as the Israeli Army prepares to execute the first stage of a planned three-stage withdrawal from southern Lebanon. Israel spent millions of dollars to establish the Awali line in September 1983, when it withdrew from the Chuf Mountains south of Beirgt

Now it is spending millions more to dismantle the ine. The army bases have been clogged with heavy construction equipment that belong to private Israeli dy." He was chosen apparently because as a youth he

The first stage of the pullback is scheduled to be completed by Feb. 18. Before then, most of the bases and outposts along the line, this one included, will be dismantled. On Feb. 18, the last of the soldiers will leave, pulling away from the Awali River bridge on the coastal highway, away from Sidon, the largest city in southern Lebanon and away from the Palestinian refugee camps east of Sidon.

Along the coast, the Israelis will move as far south as the Litani River. From that point, the new line will of control the city of Nabatiyeh, a center of Moslem Shiite resistance, and the Christian town of Jezzine. According to Israeli Army figures, the area to be evacuated in the first stage represents 5 percent of Lebanon and slightly less than 20 percent of the

territory now under Israeli occupation. It is the most densely populated section in the Israeli zone, containing as many as 400,000 Lebanese and Palestinian civilians. In withdrawing from this area first, the Israelis will almost cut in half the population under

There will not, however, be a parallel reduction in the size of the Israeli presence in southern Lebanon. Estimates of the number of Israeli soldiers in Lebanon range from 12,000 to 20,000, and the bulk of them are concentrated in eastern Lebanon near Syrian Army lines. The pullback in the east is stage two of the withdrawal plan, but the time for the second step has not been set and will be affected by how well the

withdrawal along the coast goes.

The several hundred soldiers here at Mashnaka, a command post and ordnance base situated high on a flat bluff between Jezzine and Sidon, are among the lucky ones. It is a place where the Israeli Army regularly brings journalists and photographers to see the Awali line being taken down and talk to the

The army chose as the main spokesman for the

lived for eight years in Chapel Hill, North Carolina, where his father was studying economics, and speaks flawless English.

He sat on the hood of jeep, his rifle slung over his shoulder, and proudly called himself "a combat soldier." This was his answer to a question about how much it was costing to dismantle the Mashnaka base. Captain Teddy said he did not know anything about ings like costs, nor did he seem to care.

"The important thing is we are not leaving with our tails between our legs but with our heads held high," he said. "We are leaving only because of the government's decision to withdraw. Militarily, we could stay here as long as we like."

For his part, Captain Teddy said he has seen enough of Lebanon. "It's a beautiful country physically, but the problem is you have to keep your eyes on other things and not the view," he said. He said he hoped the Israeli withdrawal would not

be followed, as is widely feared, by an outbreak of fighting among the various Lebanese factions. But after two and a half years here, the Israelis have learned not to count on the Lebanese or, to judge by Captain Teddy's comments, to care much about them.
"This isn't a country," he said. "This is a collection of sects and religions, each armed to the teeth and each interested in killing each other."

"Maybe some of them are bitter about the withdrawal," Captain Teddy said of the Christians who populate the villages along the road that runs from Jezzine to the eastern outskirts of Sidon. "But that's their problem. They can stand on their own two feet. They have to solve their own problems."

Christians in the area expressed mixed sentiments about the impending withdrawal. Several of them had gathered on the open, second-floor patio of a home that overlooks an Israeli checkpoint at the Bisri crossing point of the Awali River. As they watched a crane biring the heavy steel platforms of a temporary bridge structure, Josslin Helou and Mona Boulos, both 20, said they were not afraid of the Druze militias that control the Chuf Mountains just across the river. "We are strong," said Miss Boulos, who lives in Jezzine and will remain behind Israeli lines until the second stage of the withdrawal is completed. But in a restaurant in Jezzine, Ramzi Khammar said

the Christians where he lives "are scared to death." Mr. Khammar is a Baptist minister who lives near Sidon in the Christian village of Miye Miye, located next to a Palestinian refugee camp of the same name. In Miye Miye, Mr. Khammar said, the people are stockpiling canned food, bread and wood and are in a much higher state of alert than they were before the

Israeli withdrawal started. Meanwhile, Palestinian women and children are moving from the refugee camp to a larger and better protected camp, he said. Their fear is being fed, Mr. Khammar said, by the many statements by Israeli officials warning against the dangers of sectarian violence and massacres after the withdrawal.

As they prepare to leave Mashnaka and other outposts along the Awali, Israeli soldiers appear to recognize that for more than two years they have brought a measure of enforced order to the area. That role has made them a target, and they will leave the steep, green hillsides along the Awali gleefully. Some of them will also leave with a gnawing sense of disappointment

and failure.

"I feel good that we're going," said Sergeant Yossi
Elbaz, "But I don't feel proud about leaving the
Christians behind. I wouldn't want to be in their shoes, but we can't think about that any more."

■ UN Aide Hopeful on Talks

Undersecretary General Brian Urquhart of the United Nations, seeking to resurrect Israeli-Lebanese troop withdrawal negotiations, said Friday that he thought the talks had not totally collapsed. The Associated Press reported from Beirut.

Asked if he thought the UN-sponsored discussions, canceled Thursday, had reached an end, Mr. Urquhart replied: "I doubt it. I think the talks are still a useful framework for an orderly withdrawal." Ala Retar Lat

An Israeli soldier carrying a sign reading "Dining Room" passes other soldiers dismantling installations as part of Israel's withdrawal from the Awali River area of Lebanon.

# **Indian Spy Case: Laxity in the Ranks**

By William Claiborne

Washington Post Service NEW DELHI — In the oftencrowded bar at the fashionable Gymkhana Club in central New Delhi, a holdover from the days of the British Raj, one of the biggest espionage rings to be uncovered since India gained independence 37 years ago operated freely until earlier this month.

There, where white-gloved waiters still serve gin and tonics on the veranda under ceiling fans, an Indian businessman named Coomar Narain mixed with social climbers in the bureaucracies of nearby government ministries, buying them drinks and introducing them to his friends, according to Indian intelligence sources and Western diplo-

Among Mr. Narain's guests were said to be well-dressed French businessmen and embassy attachès, as well as low-level male secretaries wearing coarse-cotton khadi pajama suits.

Mr. Narain, who has been charged under the Official Secrets Act with being the middleman of a. major spy network, is alleged to have entertained \$90-a-month; foreign governments. cierks and personal assistants. It is charged that he accepted, in exchange for bundles of rupees, pho-tocopies of military procurement orders, minutes of ministerial meetings, defense analyses, technology-transfer agreements, weapons manuals and other secret documents that routinely flow through the labyrinth of the Indian bureau-

Mr. Narain is also said to have tions. entertained middle-level govern-ment officials in a spacious bunga-low in south New Delhi, holding parties at which young women mingled with bureaucrats. At the end of the parties, the sources said, bottles of imported scotch and cassette recorders were handed out to

Since the existence of the spy ring surfaced earlier this month, sending reverberations through the government of Prime Minister Rajiv Gandhi, at least 11 government employees and three Indian businessmen have been arrested and a dozen other officials summoned for Most of those arrested have been

personal secretaries, office assistants, stenographers and, in the lexicon of the Indian bureaucracy, peons, or office boys who perform routine chores and run errands.

The static-which to did, buyget to by crumbling support for the walk-out, reported that 3,376 more miners had abandoned the strike this past week, the highest weekly total. Six employees in the prime min-

ister's secretariat - two from President Zail Singh's office, two from than 77,000 miners, or 41 percent

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As Indian intelligence agents began rounding up suspects, at least one diplomat from the French Embassy, the deputy military attaché, Lieutenant Colonel Alain Bolley, departed from India, reportedly at request of the Indian Foreign Ministry, and two French business men were reported to have hastily left and flown to Paris.

The Indian government has kept the investigation secret, holding all arraignments of suspects behind closed doors and sealing documen-tary evidence. The French Embassy has refused to comment on any aspect of the case.

What has emerged from credible Indian sources and Western diplomats is a pattern of commercial espionage that appears to have be-gun with the sale of documents useful in securing government purchasing contracts, and gradually expanded into the wholesale copying and selling of classified records
that could have been useful to intelligence agencies of a number of

(Continued from Page 1)

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> Official sources said they doubt that the spy network reached above the middle-management level of

More important than the compromising of national security, some Indian officials said, was the disclosure of a pervasive breakdown of procedures for handling secret documents and a laxity in even the most sensitive offices of

Classification of even routine documents has become so commonplace in government ministries that controls over the handling of secrets has gradually lapsed, ac-cording to Indian government

It was in this atmosphere of carelessness and vulnerability of lowpaid civil servants, intelligence sources say, that documents have been routinely copied and sold to private middlemen working for foreign interests.

of the union's 187,300 members,

were back at work. The union dis-

putes the figures, claiming that fewer than 50,000 have crossed the

Friday that Mrs. Thatcher was moving "in for the kill." Many pa-

pers predicted a swift end to the

The last round of negotiations was in October. The talks foun-

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only closures should come when

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The mass-circulation Sun said

British Coal Strike Talks Set

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A board statement said more stem losses in the heavily subsi-

TEL AVIV — A lawyer for Ariel Sharon, who lost the final stage of his libel suit in New York against Time magazine, said Friday that he would pursue a second lawsuit in an Israeli court against the maga-

The attorney, Dov Weisglass, said the former Israeli defense minister still intended to sue Time magazine in Tel Aviv district court for defamation.

suit in March 1983 against Time's European publishing subsidiary, which distributes the magazine in Israel, and that he expected a trial

Mr. Sharon sued Time in New York because of a Feb. 21, 1983, cover story. In his contention, the article implied he encouraged the 1982 murder by Lebanese Christian Phalangist militiamen of Palestinian refugees in the Sabra and the murder of the Lebanese presi-

dent-elect, Bashir Gemayel. The Tel Aviv defamation case was being brought on the same grounds as the one in New York, Mr. Weisglass said, that Appendix B of the Kahan Commission report into the Sabra and Chatila massacres "does not include any details of that kind," and that Mr. Sharon "never discussed the need for re-

He said Mr. Sharon had demanded the equivalent of \$250,000 in damages. But he said that "like the case in New York, the lawsuit was never filed to make money." Mr. Weisglass said that Mr. Sharon would not have to prove to

Israeli leaders allied with Mr. Sharon's Likud bloc called the outcome of the New York trial a "moral victory" and a "personal suc-cess" for Mr. Sharon.

compromise on some specific clo-sure plans but has insisted on the board's overall right to close uneco-The union launched the strike on March 12 last year over coal board plans to close 20 money-losing mines, eliminating 20,000 jobs through attrition. This would be in

terrible" Lebanon war, Mr. Sharon was forced to resign his post as vestigating the massacre. He is now minister of industry and com-

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# Lawyer Says Deception Widespread, CBS Witness Testifies

By M.A. Farber

nam was part of a broader "self-

regarding progress in the war. Mr. Allen, testifying a second day for CBS in the trial of the libel suit brought by General William C. Westmoreland, said Thursday that the White House had tried to "head off mounting public opposition to the war" in the summer of 1967 through a "massive public-relations campaign to influence, exag-

gerate and misrepresent." It was in this context, Mr. Allen testified, that he once described a dispute over the enemy strength estimate as "making a mountain out a molehill."

"I was referring to the production of this dishonest that bigger issue, that bigger exercise by the administration, which in fact caused its loss of credibility,"
Mr. Allen told the jury in U.S.
District Court in New York City.

That effort, he said, "produced an area of self-deception to the extent that neither the Congress, nor members of the administration, nor the population was prepared for the psychological impact mounted by the Communist forces on an unprecedented scale" during the Tet offensive in January 1968.

On Wednesday, he accused his superiors at the CIA of "caving in" to the military.

contract for the agency, portrayed himself Thursday as someone who had compromised his own integrity had lied to the president and the in 1967 and played "the good bureancrat" until this case forced him and nature of the enemy.

to confront his own failings and those of the government.

New York Times Service
NEW YORK — George W. Allen, a former deputy chief of Vietnamese affairs for the Central Interview of the government.

The Service those of the government.

David Dorsen, a lawyer for General Westmoreland, suggested that the 58-year-old witness had tailed. telligence Agency, has testified that lored his testimony to help Samuel the production in late 1967 of a A. Adams, a former CIA colleague "misleading" intelligence estimate who is one of the defendants at the on enemy strength in South Viettrial. Mr. Allen denied it.

Mr. Allen said he wanted to asdeception" by the administration sist the jury and the public in un-of President Lyndon B. Johnson derstanding the responsibility that many officers in the intelligence community have, to insuring that honest estimates are presented to the policy-makers."

Mr. Dorsen then told the court that Mr. Allen, at the start of the second day of his pretrial deposi-tion in August 1983, had asked to have the oath "to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth repeated for him. It was "the whole truth" part that he wanted "verified," Mr. Allen said then.

Mr. Allen explained that he told the truth on the first day of the the oath when it was read. He said he had "lain awake" the previous the production of this dishonest estimate was only a small part of the situation and the events of the last 15 years," during which time, he said, he had "rationalized and been evasive" regarding the 1967 estimate on enemy strength in Vict-

> Having the oath "reaffirmed" on the second day of the deposition, he said, "was a symbolic gesture by me that the time had come to stop dissembling, no matter what the personal embarrassment to me."

General Westmoreland's suit stems from a 1982 CBS documentary — "The Uncounted Enemy: A Vietnam Deception" — which charged that the general's command had engaged in a "conspira-Mr. Allen, who retired from the cy" to minimize North Vietnamese CIA in 1979 but still works under and Vietcong capabilities. General Westmoreland contends the documentary defamed him by saying he

Edward Schumacher of The New

York Times reported from Madrid: Prime Minister Felipe González

He said that the action had come

missing a "historic opportunity."

The Spanish leader said it was still unclear to him whether the

suspension was merely a tactical

ops had attended the inauguration.

rights abuses, such as curning op-

position parties and imposing cen-

sorship. He showed his disapproval

by meeting with Nicaraguan oppo-

Mr. González made his remarks

# WORLD BRIEFS

# Goetz Indicted Only on Arms Charges

NEW YORK (AP) - A grand jury on Friday refused to indict Bernhard H. Goetz for attempted murder in the shootings of four young men on a subway and instead indicted him only on three counts of criminal possession of a weapon.

Robert M. Morgenthau, the Manhattan district attorney, announced that the jury had failed to vote an indictment on four counts of second-degree attempted murder, four counts of first-degree assault and first-degree reckless endangerment. It was not immediately clear if prosecutors could press attempted murder charges on their own without the jury

The jury indicted Mr. Goetz, 37, on one count of third-degree criminal possession of a weapon — illegally having a loaded pistol on Dec. 22, 1984, when he admitted shooting the four teen-agers who he said asked him for \$5 in a threatening manner. He also was indicted on two counts of fourth-degree criminal possession of a weapon because he allegedly had two other pistols inside his apartment when police searched it.

### Pope Calls Synod on Vatican II Issues

ROME (AP) — Pope John Paul II announced Friday that he is calling an extraordinary worldwide conference of bishops to examine the Second Vatican Council, which vastly revised the workings of the Roman Catholic Church.

The pope, in a surprise announcement during a Mass in the Basilica of St. Paul's Outside the Walls, said that the conference would "relive" the spirit of the council but also would re-examine the changes it made "in the light of new demands."

He added that the conference, known as a bishops synod, would meet deposition but hadn't listened to in Rome from Nov. 25 to Dec. 8 this year. The Second Vatican Council. commonly called Varican II, was called by Pope John XXIII and lasted from 1962 to 1965. Among many other things, the council permitted th saying of Mass in the local language, or vernacular, and stressed greater participation of lay people in the littingy.

It also stressed religious freedom, ecumenicism and condemned anti-

Semitism. The pontiff made the announcement on the eve of his departure on a 12-day tour of Latin America. John Paul said there would be representatives of Catholic bishops conferences from all five continents at the "extraordinary synod." He did not say whether he is seeking changes in the Vatican II's reforms.

# Judges Ask Meese for More Details

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawyers for Edwin Meese 3d, the White House counselor, were ordered Friday to furnish more details to support Mr. Meese's plea for reimbursement of more than \$700,000 in legal fees resulting from his investigation during Senate hearings last March.

A special three-judge panel, established under provisions of the Ethics in Government Act, told Mr. Meese's lawyers to submit the documents

by Feb. 7. Under the act, government figures subjected to investigations can petition the court for reimbursement if no indictment resulted from

The documents released by the court Friday confirmed that Mr. Meese is seeking to be reimbursed for over \$700,000 in fees incurred, his lawyers argue, because of the investigation by Jacob Stein, an independent counsel. Mr. Stein investigated Mr. Meese's financial ties to various individuals and their appointments to federal jobs. He found there was no basis for prosecuting Mr. Meese on any violations of law.

# **Botha Promises Blacks Greater Voice**

JOHANNESBURG (NYT) — President Pieter W. Botha of South Africa pledged Friday that black people living outside the tribal home-lands would have a greater political voice. But he made it clear that his government planned no dilution of the white Afrikaner power that has prevailed since 1948.

"It remains the government's point of departure that, because of the diversity of South African society, it is neither desirable nor practicable to accommodate all communities in the same way," he said at the opening in Cape Town of a new tricameral Parliament, a legislature based on racial segregation. He said the government had decided to treat black communities outside the homelands as "entities in their own right" which "must be given political participation and a say at higher levels."

Rightist whites termed the president's promise a sellout of traditional apartheid and vowed to fight it. Black activists said it fell far short of their

### New Caledonian Invites Rebels to Talk

PARIS (AP) - Dick Ukeiwe, president of New Caledonia's territorial assembly, offered Friday to meet with Jean-Marie Tjibaou, head of the Kanak Socialist National Liberation Front, in a bid to end the political turmoil in which 20 persons have died.

As assembly president, Mr. Ukeiwe is also a member of the French Senate. He was in Paris for the parliamentary vote Friday that approved a bill extending until June 30 the right of French authorities in New Caledonia to maintain a state of emergency that was imposed Jan. 12.

Mr. Tjibaou, in a statement, said he would accept any exchanges, "no matter where, no matter when," as long as they dealt with how the island group would achieve its independence.

### For the Record

American States.

He praised the recent inaugural The 46th game of the world chess championship has been postponed until Monday because of a technical timeout, a chess official said Friday. The world champion, Anatoli Karpov, leads the match 5-1, and needs only one more victory to defeat his challenger, Gary Kasparov. (AP) An earthquake shook Izmir, Turkey, on the Aegean coast early Friday, the semi-official Anatolian News Agency reported. It said the quake measured 3.9 on the Richter scale but did not cause any damage. (AP) Greece said Turkey violated its airspace Friday for the third day running and the Turkish ambassador to Athens was summoned to speech of President Daniel Ortega Saavedra of Nicaragua calling for political pluralism, and noted that opposition Roman Catholic bishrunning, and the Turkish ambassador to Athens was summoned to receive a protest. A statement said Turkish jets had violated Greek Previously, Mr. González had essentially agreed with the United States in accusing Nicaragua of airspace 11 times and infringed air traffic rules 13 times. At least seven Yugoslavs died and 33 were injured when a passenger train derailed Friday after running into a modslide on the tracks at Mount Zlatibor, about 130 kilometers (80 miles) southwest of Belgrade.

the Tanjug news agency reported. President Ronald Reagan said Friday that he plans to nominate Richard T. McCormack, assistant secretary of state in charge of economic

ic and business afters, as U.S. ambassador to the Organization of American States.

# Sharon Filed Suit in Israel

zine's European subsidiary.

Mr. Weisglass said that he filed

in about six months.

venge, either with the Gemayels nor with the Phalangists."

the Israeli court that Time was motivated by malice, the count on which his case failed in New York.

Deputy Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir said he believed that Mr.

But a leftist member of parliament, Yossi Sarid, said the New York verdict did not clear Mr. Sharon from guilt for having com-mitted Israel to what he called the line with government orders to defense minister on the recommen-dation of a judicial commission in-

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U.S. Says Iran Arranging Sharon "achieved the main thing by proving that he was defamed, that the things that were published were a lie."

Oil, Arms for Nicaragua were a lie." WASHINGTON — The Reagan viously linked the Libyan leader, administration said Friday that it Moamer Qadhafi, and the Pales-

had reason to believe Iran was "in the process of arranging support in the process of arranging support in the form of oil supplies and funding for armaments" for the leftist government of Nicaragua.

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Robert Sims, deputy White House press secretary for foreign affairs, said that "the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for some expansion of temporal in its light of the potential for t some expansion of terrorism in this

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President Ronald Reagan, inof Spain said Thursday that he was
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puzzled by the decision of the Unitrenew U.S. aid to Nicaraguan rebels, brought up the subject of Irawith Nicaragua. man aid to Nicaragua on Thursday. He told a group of legislators at a "a moment of clear efforts of from Western Hemisphere nations: flexibility on Nicaragua's part" A new danger we see in Central and that the United States might be. America is the support being given to the Sandinistas by Colonel Qa-dhafi's Libya, the PLO and most recently, the Ayatollah Khomeini's

Asked about the president's statement, Mr. Sims said the current Nicaraguan visit by Prime Minister Mir Hussein Moussavi of Iran "is obviously evidence of political support" for the Sandinists. "There is also reason to believe that Iran is in the process of arranging support in the form of oil sup-plies and funding for armaments after meeting there with President which would add to the Nicara-Miguel de la Madrid of Mexico. guan arsenal and obviously we would be concerned about any additional involvement of countries outside the hemisphere," Mr. Sims

"As to where it might lead," he added, "the potential for some expansion of terrorism in this hemistion leaders in December and by sphere is always a concern for us as well."

stion leaders in December and by sending a low-level delegation to Mr. Ortega's inauguration. Electronics

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# **AMERICAN TOPICS**

#### Watts, 20 Years Later: The Problems Persist Most of the problems that

ignited the riots in the Watts section of Los Angeles, in which 34 people were killed, remain amesolved 20 years later, according to a joint report by the city and county Human Rela-"Conditions are as bad, or

worse, in south-central Los Aniggles today as they were" in 1965, the report said, with near-iy 20 percent of the black adults and 50 percent of the black teen-agers in Watts unemployed School test scores re-main the lowest in the city, and crime and gang activity have

#### Jet Fire Retardant A Blazing Failure

A radio-controlled jet airliner facied with anti-misting kero-sene (AMK), which was sup-posed to minimize fire hazards in airplane crashes, was threefourths engulfed in a fireball in a test crash last month. The product "didn't work as advertised, said Tom Trip, a spokes-man for the Air Transport As-sociation, which represents many U.S. airlines.

Now, to nobody's surprise, the Federal Aviation Administration has informed Congress that the preliminary results of the test were "disappointing" and that "we plan to defer further regulatory action with re-gard to the use of AMK in air

#### **Short Takes**

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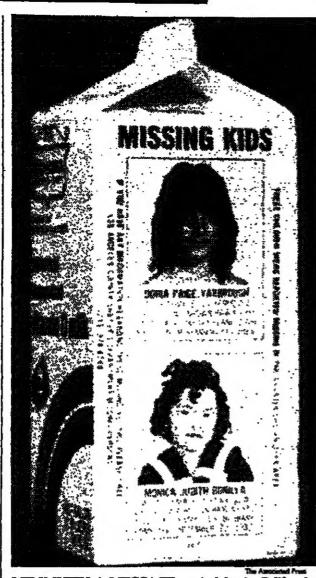
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The familiar blue-green punch-card check issued by the U.S. Treasury for 40 years is being replaced by a lightweight paper check in rainbow colors. The lighter stock will save \$6 million a year in paper costs. according to Charlotte Me-huron, a Treasury spokeswoman, and the variegated colors are aimed at foiling sophisticat-

ed color-copying machines.

The may, which has restored the bell-bottom uniforms and nautical terminology that were jettisoned during the 1970s, has taken a last big step toward re-storing tradition by abolishing the beards that had been permitted during the past decade and more. However, "neatly trimmed, military-appearing mustaches" are allowed. President Ronald Reagan is



MILK WITH A MESSAGE — A dairy in California carries pictures of missing youths on its cartons as a public service. Doria Paige Yarbrough of Lancaster, California, shown in the top photo, saw her picture and returned home. She had been staying with friends in Fresno, California, since leaving home in November.

men and women to the federal judiciary than any other presi-dent. Jimmy Carter holds the record with 262. But Mr. Rea-gan reached 167 in his first term, and more than 100 seats are vacant. A main reason for the approaching record is that Congress has expanded the ju-dicial machinery dealing with

Shorter Takes: The Internal Revenue Service reports that 299 couples or individuals with incomes of more than \$200,000 used deductions and tax credits to avoid paying a permy of fed-eral tax for 1982. . . . Although burglary is traditionally regard-ed as nonviolent, 30 percent of

from 1973 to 1982 committed when the occupants were at home ended in a violent crime ... A federal appeals court in St. Louis has ruled, 5 to 3, that Indians may kill protected ani-mals, including bald eagles, the national emblem, on reserva-tion lands providing that the feathers or carcass are used

only for religious purposes and not offered for sale. . . . Falling down stairs at work results in an estimated 33,000 disabling injuries a year, accounting for 1.3 percent of all lost work time, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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# Secret Satellite to Warn Of Soviet Preparations For Attack, Experts Say

By William J. Broad
New York Times Service NEW YORK — A likely major use of the satellite taken aloft Thursday on the secret military mission of the U.S. space shuttle Discovery is to help warn of Soviet preparations for a nuclear attack on the United States, according to military experts not working for the

By eavesdropping on radio, ra-dar, microwave and other electronsignals from the Soviet Union, the satellite probably is meant to do much more than monitor explicit Soviet communications, they

These experts say the satellite could gather data that would allow intelligence agencies to make subtle distinctions in the electronic nature of the signals and thus detect Soviet preparations for nuclear war.

These satellites can pick up things like changes in Soviet wavelengths as they switch from peace-time to wartime modes." said Paul Stares, an aerospace expert at the Brookings Institution.

[Discovery's astronauts launched a \$300-million spy satel-lite on Friday that is designed to eavesdrop on Soviet military and diplomatic communications, sources at Cape Canaveral told The

tion from the air force or the Naupper stage, is an integral part of
tional Aeronautics and Space Adthe payload.

The response has been overministration, in keeping with the military secrecy surrounding the News Leaks Probed

In addition to detecting changes in wavelengths, the satellite might be able to monitor signal strengths to detect the agitated activity in the Soviet Union that might presage the start of an attack.

"You do pattern analysis," said Paul Bracken, a political scientist at Yale University and author of the book "The Command and Control of Nuclear Forces." "If you see a heavy traffic pattern between Moscow center and the missile fields or the naval bases, you start to wonder if something is up."

Such abilities to give advanced warning are well known in military and aerospace circles; they in no way explain the secrecy that has surrounded the shuttle's mission, these experts said.

The Pentagon has made no comment on the type of payload being carried by Discovery.

It was reported last month that the satellite was meant for signals intelligence, which the military

the satellite was to monitor Soviet missile tests and to eavesdrop on military communications from 22,300 miles (36,060 kilometers)

The deeper implications of that kind of ability, according to Mr. Bracken and other military experts, go beyond rounne monitoring to detecting Soviet preparations for war for days, and perhaps weeks, ahead. Intelligence agencies then would present evidence of those preparations to U.S. leaders.

above the Earth.

Mr. Bracken said that warning of nuclear attack was generally divided into two types, tactical and strategic. Tactical warning is mainly via photo satellites that use heatsensitive infrared telescopes to detext hot exhaust plumes of Soviet missiles as they head for space. Most "early-warning satellites" fall into the tactical category.

In contrast, he said, strategic warning is meant to occur hours, days or perhaps weeks ahead. It relies on signals from intelligence satellites as well as other devices and eavesdropping on the state of the Soviet military and its related

After its release, the new satellite is to be boosted into an orbit 22,300 miles high. This detail was made public when NASA reported that a There was no official confirma- special rocket, known as an inertial

The U.S. Air Force has begun an investigation to find the source of news leaks about Discovery's secret payload, The Washington Post re-

The investigation is one of several that the Pentagon is one of sever-into news leaks, a spokesman, Mi-chael I. Burch, said Thursday. He said the inquiries are aimed at find-ing the officials or employees of contractors who provided informa-tion, and not at news oversity afters. tion, and not at news organizations.

Mr. Burch did not say what action the government would take if it could identify those who leaked information about the satellite.

Asked about a photograph of an early-warning satellite published on the most recent cover of Aviation Week & Space Technology, Mr. Burch said that such a picture "should not appear." But the Pen-tagon later acknowledged that the air force had given the photograph to Aviation Week after it had been "appropriately reviewed and deter-mined to be unclassified."

# Charities Try To Block U.S. **Plan Limiting** Tax Benefits

By Kathleen Teltsch

New York Times Service NEW YORK — U.S. nonprofit organizations, battered by cutbacks in government grants and threatened by federal tax propos-als, are fighting back with a nation-wide lobbying campaign.

"I have never seen the nonprofits so alarmed," said Brian O'Connell, president of Independent Sector, a coalition representing 595 national nonprofit associations, philanthropies and fund-raising federations.

"Every kind of organization from museums and colleges to small neighborhood associations or advocacy groups is aroused about the administration's policies toward

In the last four years, federal grants to the organizations' wel-fare, educational and cultural programs have been cut by \$13.5 billion. And now the nonprofit groups say the Treasury Department's proposed restrictions on the tax benefits resulting from gifts to charities will cost them almost \$12 billion a year more, reducing indi-vidual contributions from \$59.5 billion a year to \$47.7 billion.

One charity, United Way of America, has urged its 2,200 local affiliates and the 37,000 agencies it supports to write to President Ronald Reagan and Congress urging the rejection of the Treasury's pro-

"The response has been over-whelming," said Jack Moskowitz, a senior vice president.

The lobbying has already been felt on Capitol Hill. Experts there predict protracted negotiations that are unlikely to result in all the changes the Treasury wants.

The campaign is aimed at three Treasury recommendations:

 A proposal to limit income tax deductions for charity to amounts above 2 percent of the taxpayer's adjusted gross income. The groups say this would discourage donations because the contributions of the average taxpayer amount to

 A proposal to restrict the deduction for a gift of property that has increased in value, such as securities, to the owner's original cost, plus an adjustment for infla-tion. That change, the nonprofit groups say, would hurt colleges, museums and other traditional recipients of appreciated stocks.

 A proposal to eliminate chari-table deductions if the taxpayer does not itemize deductions. A study by Independent Sector

If all three recommendations are approved, according to Charles

# Group Giving \$25 Million To Support Peace Study

New York Times Service

NEW YORK - A major American philanthropic organization says it will spend \$25 million over the next three years on the study of international security and prevention of nuclear war.

The grants, announced Thursday, almost double the privately contributed money for research in this field, according to the group, the John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation of Chicago. "No issue threatens the collective destiny of humankind like the

menacing threat of nuclear war," said John E. Corbally, foundation Planners of the program, including Dr. Jerome B. Wiesner, president emeritus of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, said the

undertaking sought to raise the number of experts in security issues and widen their concerns to include social, economic and environ-

Under the program, 25 institutions in the United States and two in Britain will receive grants. Those in Britain are the International Institute for Strategic Studies in London and the University of Sussex.

A key element is a total of \$6.2 million for 96 two-year fellowships to be administered by the Social Science Research Council. 605 Third Ave., New York, N.Y. 10158. The council has set a March 31 deadline

for the first group of applications.

The largest MacArthur grant, a five-year award of \$1.5 million, will go to the Brookings Institution. Brookings will also get a \$450,000

Clotfelter, a Duke University econ- identified 1,155,000 tax-exempt omist who made an analysis for nonprofit groups, and the authors Independent Sector, charities

would lose \$5 billion. million more the Independent Sector says that tax exemption. nonprofit groups would suffer even greater losses from the Treasury proposal to reduce the top income tax rate to 35 percent from 50 percent. Lowering the tax bracket would reduce the saving from mak-ing charitable contributions, reducing the financial incentive to give. The change in tax rates would cost charities \$6 billion to \$7 billion, according to Mr. Clotfelter.

But the groups are not fighting the overall rate reduction.

The principle behind the Trea sury's lower rates, however, is that the reduction would be made possible by disallowing most tax preferences. The deduction for charitable

contributions is one of dozens that the Treasury would limit. In addition, the Treasury argues that large numbers of taxpayers abuse their charitable contribution

deductions, writing off more than they actually donate. But the limits on charitable deductions would raise relatively lit-

tle revenue for the Treasury and may not be worth the fight. The latest New York Times-CBS News Poll found overwhelming support for the continued deductibility of charitable contributions. A poll of 1,534 adults conducted Jan. 14-17 found that 81 percent of

percent were opposed. In organizing its campaign, In-dependent Sector is counting on the support from groups around the country that Mr. O'Connell and others maintain are more influen-tial than commonly recognized.

the public favored deductibility; 16

said there were probably several million more that had not sought

"In all four corners of America there are volunteers involved in said Barber B. Conable, the former New York state congressman, "be they United Way workers, volun-teer firemen, members of church or social welfare groups. As far as groups represent opinion-setters, they set the tone of the country. The politician ignores such groups



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# **Prospects for Growth**

The numbers published this week confirmed of demography; the numbers of inexperienced young people coming into the labor market in this decade will be lower than in the 1970s. everybody's impression: 1984 was a very good year for the American economy. Real GNP rose faster than in any year since the early 1950s. Income per person, after inflation and taxes, was once again higher than ever. Inflation stayed low, at least by recent standards. What are the chances of an encore in 1985?

Most of the current economic debate is over what is going to happen in the months immediately ahead. But it is worth asking whether anything is developing to raise the prospers over the longer term for the strong and stable growth that is every president's aim. So far there are not many signs of it.

The original Reagan program was supposed to generate an enormous expansion of investment capital by encouraging work and saving. The personal savings rate is still in the range in which it has been moving for the past decade, despite a number of tax incentives to raise it. Business investment in plant and equipment has risen sharply from the 1981-82 recession. In 1984, as a proportion of GNP, it was back where it was in 1980; as the year ended it was a shade higher. There is no sign of the flood of new investment that was to have transformed the American capacity to produce.

Most of the sources of long-term growth lie deep and are difficult for any administration to reach. Labor productivity will rise because

reflecting the declining birthrates of the 1960s.

Major contributors to economic growth, both of them difficult to forecast, are new technology and a rising level of education. Federal support for research and development declined from the middle 1960s until early in the Reagan administration. It is now rising due to military spending; civilian research and development is still falling quite rapidly. As for education, a child's chances of finishing high school and getting a college degree are much higher in the United States than anywhere else in the world, but educational opportunity hit a plateau more than a decade ago and has not increased since then.

The greatest threats to economic growth now come from the instability being built into the economy by the two mounting deficits — the federal budget deficit and the trade deficit. Both at present are sustaining America's sense of well-being. The budget deficit stimulates growth, and the foreign deficit permits the country to spend more than it earns. Mr. Reagan's second term is an opportunity to bring both those deficits under control. But he does not seem to be making much progress in deciding how to do it, or at whose expense.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

# Points Made, Suit Lost

Ariel Sharon's long and bitter suit against Time has come out about as well as it could, given the circumstances. Credit should go first of all to the six members of what seems to have been a very conscientious jury. The result also owes much to the lawyers - to Time's, who proposed giving the jury a series of questions to guide them through the tangle of issues, and to General Sharon's, who accepted the idea. That led to Judge Abraham Sofaer's instructions to the jury to consider the complex ele-ments in a libel case one by one.

Mr. Sharon got one thing that he badly wanted and to which he was entitled: a determination that one paragraph in Time magazine two years ago was wrong. It revolved around the massacre of Palestinians by Christian Phalangists in the Lebanese refugee camps in 1982, and the commission established by the Israeli government under Yitzhak Kahan, a former Supreme Court president, to investigate it. Time wrote that a secret appendix to the Kahan report included details of a conversation in which Mr. Sharon, then defense minister, was supposed to have discussed with Phalangist leaders their need to take revenge on the Palestinians. In the trial, Time's reporter acknowledged that he had no source for the assertion, which was an inference — "my evaluation." Time acknowledged before the end of the trial that there is "clear and convincing evidence" that no such conversation was contained in the appendix. The jury properly held the paragraph to be false.

to which he was entitled on that point, it did not give him more than he was entitled to. It did not give him any broader vindication regarding the massacre. There the authoritative judgment continues to be that of the Kahan commission, which found that he bore "indirect responsibility." Nor did the jury give Mr. Sharon the \$50 million he claimed in damages. While the paragraph was false and its authors had been careless, the jury said. Time believed it to be true when it was published. Under the malice rule — devised to protect publications from being crippled by suits over unintentional errors - that finding bars liability. The case never advanced to the issue of damages.

But if the jury gave Mr. Sharon the verdict

The crucial innovation in this case was the segmented verdict. The judge asked the jury to come back with separate findings on the questions of defamation, truth or falsity, and state of mind. The Sharon jury first decided that the famous paragraph was defamatory - that is, harmful to his reputation — and then that it was false. It then proceeded to the question of Time's state of mind and found that the maga-

zine had not knowingly printed a falsehood.

These suits by officials over their official conduct are troubling enough, and Time has paid a heavy price in defending itself. But the procedural technique of having a jury decide each element of the suit separately can help ensure that the difficult standard for libel claims set by the Supreme Court is truly met. - THE WASHINGTON POST.

A meticulous jury has found Time magazine negligent and careless in printing a false and defamatory report about Ariel Sharon. But, after deliberating five days on the most crucial question, the jury found no malice. And that, given how American law treats public figures, means no libel — and the end of Mr. Sharon's \$50-million damage claim. He wins much of his case, but Time wins the suit. An issue that should never have had to come to trial has been resolved in a constructive way.

Constructive and salutary. Seen from our interested perspective in the trenches of journalism, the verdict affirms the law's special protections for a free press - but also underscores the obligations that the media bear. Public officials remain on notice that they cannot easily punish criticism with libel suits. The press is on notice that it can nonetheless be held accountable - and that it needs to provide better forums of rebuttal and redress.

This case turned on one paragraph in a long Time story two years ago about Israel's official finding that Mr. Sharon bore "indirect" responsibility for a massacre of Palestinians in Beirut. The American jury, crisply instructed in the elements of libel by Federal District Judge Abraham Sofaer, read that paragraph to imply a greater guilt, and thus as defamatory. Late in the trial, Time conceded that it was wrong to ascribe the implication to a secret document. But it failed to convince the jury that the account was still true.

A false and damaging defamation would, against an ordinary citizen, have amounted to libel. But because the U.S. Constitution plainly aims to protect and promote fearless reporting and debate, the Supreme Court has made it

1910: Corporations Resist President

NEW YORK - Of President W.H. Taft's

scheme for Federal incorporation of Corpora-tions, the Atlanta Journal says: "The Presi-dent's argument is an able one. But it is very

doubtful if the advantages of such a plan

would be equal to its disadvantages. The sys-

tem would be an almost radical step toward Federal centralization of power." The Provi-

dence Journal remarks: "If [the plan] should

be declared by the Supreme Court to be consti-tutional the whole question of the relationship

of corporations to the Government would as-

sume a portentous phase." The Chicago Inter-

Ocean adds: "Think; if you can, of anything that would be left under a Federal incorpora-

tion act for the American people to do except

cry in public: 'O King, live forever!'

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harder for public figures to prove libel. They must also prove malice: not just honest error or even sloppiness, but lying or reckless dis-regard of a knowable truth. It was at this last barrier that the jury gave the case to Time and vindicated the Supreme Court's purpose.

Mr. Sharon, by coming so close to clearing the malice barrier, showed that the law cannot be counted on to protect mendacious journalism. Yet the barrier remains high enough to protect anyone's aggressive reporting.

The jury found an absence of malice, but no

shortage of arrogance. It went out of its way to reprimand Time for "negligently and even carelessly" defaming Mr. Sharon. It seemed to give voice to widespread discontent with influential media that are quick to dish out criticism but unwilling or reluctant to present a contrary judgment or to confess error.

Time thinks the jury misread the crucial paragraph. But these jurors were typical readers of Time. If they found its words more maligning than intended, it should not require a long, costly trial to resolve the ambiguity.

If, after studying the reporting, writing and editing routines at Time, jurors find some of them negligent, it is time for journalists to stop muring their criticism of one another. The best protection of free speech is more free speech, not less. To deserve the extraordinary protections of American law, Time and all of journalism need a stronger tradition of mutual and self-correction. The more influential the medium, the greater the duty to offer a place for rebuttal, complaint, correction and re-examination. Beating the arrogance rap is even more important than escaping one for libel.

1935: Liner Sinks Off New Jersey

in the New York-Havana service, was de-

stroyed by fire within a few miles of last night's

scene, with a loss of 124 lives, 434 passengers

and members of the crew being saved. On Jan.

6, 1935, the Havana, which had replaced the Morro Castle in the New York-Cuba service,

piled up at 3:40 a.m. on Mantilia Shoals, the

northern extremity of the Great Bahama Bank.

Fifty-one passengers and 44 members of the crew were taken off and picked up by rescue steamers. One passenger died.

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# A Red Reformation vs. Red Orthodoxy



PARIS - The Chinese are the only ruling P Communists to openly question acknow-ledged tenets of Marxism-Leninism. Having startled the world by saying that those tenets will not solve modern problems, Beijing backed off a bit; it did not intend to announce apostasy. But the subsequent explanations confirmed that something profound and far-reaching is taking place, in ideological terms, to match the great changes in economic and social rules.

In effect, Beijing is starting to redefine Marxism so that it can move toward the mixed market economy and the incentive system it has now chosen, without abandoning the faith.

Lin Xili, a senior official who helped draft the economic reforms, was presented to foreign journalists to pronounce the new interpretation. He said Marxism was an "evolving system seeking truth from facts." That was a flat contradiction of the Soviet view that it is a completed analysis of social relations with the hard certainty of scientific law.

# China's Reforms Are Just a Start

Western press has waited 35

years to report this story. The evidence partially sup-ports these claims, but it is being overstated. And the ex- and profit. We may well be aggeration contributes to a cy-clical historical pattern of unrealistic expectations that can bring deep disappointment and mutual recriminations.

For their part, the Chinese certainly also have overblown notions of the West and its ability to contribute to China's quest for modernity. Through adept propaganda the Chinese media create unrealistic images for the Chinese people. We Westerners are quick to

selectively see what we want to see, and there is a strong ten-dency to see the Chinese as rejecting socialism because that confirms Western politi-

think we see in China today an awakening of the human spirit to seek freedom, democracy witnessing just that — but a sense of Chinese Communist history and practical experi-

ence ought to suggest caution. What China is engaged in is partial introduction of capitalnomic and ideological changes during a year and a half of travel and research in China. But I see more continuity with the past than change, and a

variety of factors that can inhibit the pace and eventual success of recent reforms.

BEIJING — The West is agog over "capitalism" in China and alleged abandoning of Marxism-Leninism. The cal and economic beliefs. We termine the final outcome of the trends that are being unleashed in China today.

This is not the first time since 1949 that the Chinese

leadership has tried to tap the entrepreneurial initiative of the people. All previous attempts were short-lived. For there is, as Chinese Marxists partial introduction of capital-ist economic lools, and partial dilution of orthodox Marxism. nomic or ideological freedom I have seen dramatic eco- and a state apparatus controlled by a single party that monopolizes power and ulti-mately defines "truth."

The writer, author of "The Mak-ing of a Premier: Zhao Ziyang's Provincial Career," has been conducting research in China since Economic, scientific, tech- 1983. He contributed this to the nological, social and ideologi- International Herald Tribune.

By Flora Lewis

Mr. Lin introduced a new name for what China is doing calling it "socialist commodity production" and admitted that this was not part of orthodoxy. But he said that Marx overlooked the fact that supply and demand affect state-owned — in Marxist terms, worker- and peasant-owned — economies as they do private capital. "Seeking truth from facts is Marxism," Mr. Lin said. "Marx himself never made any specific prediction about the future."

The actual words of Marx are of secondary importance. They have always been subject to drastically different interpretations. The splits in the socialist movement after the Bolshevik revolution, producing pro-Soviet Communists, social democrats. Trotskyites and other splin-ters, reflect the variety of ways people always find of listening to a prophet.

What matters is that Moscow became the

Rome of orthodoxy, claiming infallibility even when it veered from one thesis to another. A new, flexible definition of Marxism-in-power can be as significant to the future as Martin Luther's protest was to the Catholic Church.

Beijing's proclamations have been notorious-ly mobile, caroming from "a hundred flowers" of liberalization to a "great leap forward" of communization to a "cultural revolution" of chaotic repression. But if China sticks to the new course, that will be more fateful for the world than even early Marxist schisms, because it comes at a time when certainty about Marxist

values is leaking away everywhere.
Throughout Eastern Europe, regimes have been driven to tinkering one way and another, depending on local circumstances.

The Soviet Union will be celebrating the 70th anniversary of its revolution in a couple of years. Its system can no longer be considered experimental, recovering from upheaval, de-serving a benefit of doubt as it embarks into the unknown. On the contrary, it is long congealed and its promises remain undelivered.

Many people in the hierarchy are well aware of that. There are complaints about a loss of direction. But reform is difficult, even frightening, not only because of the vested interests of an entrenched bureaucracy but because the system rests on strict controls. Change requires relaxing controls. But Soviet officialdom can never be sure at what point a little liberalization will risk setting off a chain reaction that would

undermine the power of the party. Repeated attempts at reform in Eastern Europe have confirmed Soviet fears about the risks of easing

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constraint. But they have also shown that Markist orthodoxy does not produce satisfactory economic and social results. Even relative successes are misleading. East Germany receives a vast subsidy from West Germany in such a variety of forms that it

cannot be accurately calculated. It may be \$10 billion a year. It is surely over \$5 billion. Hungary has a flourishing private sector in small business and considerable room for managerial initiative in many state-owned firms. Yugoslavia, which made a radical departure

with its worker self-management system, has found that it is not good enough. All Communist regimes have found that the Marxist system of pricing brings economic distortion. Regarding labor as the sole measure of value does not work. The cost of capital, whether state-owned or private, and incentive to management have to be taken into account.

The impulse to seek "truth from facts," which the Chinese have admitted, is at work throughout the Communist world. For the long term it presages some transformations that can sweep the global political landscape.

The New York Times.



# Forty Years of Armed Vigilance and Bitter 'Lessons'

By Stephen F. Cohen

PRINCETON, New Jersey — For most Americans, World War II is a remote and half-forgotten historical event. For Soviet citizens it remains the "Great Patriotic War"

and a recent traumatic experience. Those different national memories, and the political conflicts they generate, will be especially apparent this year, which brings the 40th anniversary of the end of the war. In the United States, few if any commemorations will occur before the traditional V-E Day ceremonies on May 8. In the Soviet Union,

commemorations are already under way.
It is a mistake to think, as many Western observers do, that Soviet memories of World War II are prolonged merely by the unending flow of official propaganda. The government promotes the remembrance, as reflected in more than 15,000 books on the subject and memorials in every town, but the popular emotion is genuine. More than any other event, including the Russian Revolution, the war shaped the Soviet Union as it exists today, as a political system, society and world power. Its legacy endures among citizens because it was an experience of inseparable -

and colossal — tragedy and triumph.

The tragedy began on June 22, 1941, with the massive, unexpected German invasion and the near total Soviet defeat. After four years of savage fighting from Moscow to Berlin, it culminated in 20 million Soviet deaths, about equally divided between sol-diers and civilians. That often cited but little understood statistic meant that virtually every family lost one member or more. And the figure does not include the millions of survivors who were maimed for life.

Nor has the mourning stopped, particularly among women. Displaying worn photographs of lost sons, aged mothers of soldiers listed as missing in action (millions are so designated) still haunt veterans' reunions in hope of some word of their fate. And because so few men between the ages of 17 and 20 survived the struggle, millions of women of that generation remain unwed and childless, "their loneother "terrible echo of the war."

Europe; creation of the Soviet empire in East-ern Europe that was to guard against another invasion from the west; and the historic rise to great power in world affairs. So popular were those accomplishments that even embittered Russians often forgot, or forgave, the Soviet government's misdeeds that had contributed to the catastrophe of 1941, including Stalin's prewar massacre of Red Army officers, his 1939 pact with Hitler and the general unpreparedness for the German onslaught.

The shared wartime experience of "gran-deur and grief," as a Soviet poet characterized it, changed the relationship between the Communist party-state and society in fundamental ways. For the Slavic majority at least, the system finally became a truly national one and thus legitimate. But Soviet "commu-

ternationalist ones in the official ideology. If nothing else, the war forged a lasting affinity between popular and official out-looks on the Soviet Union's overriding purpose at home and abroad. Henceforth it would do everything to guarantee that it would never again be unprepared for a sur-prise attack. That alone explains persistent popular support, despite the sacrifices involved in everyday life, for the government's obsession with national security, including its bold over Eastern Europe, its constant fear of "falling behind" in any area of weaponry and

the high priority it gives to military spending.
The war's legacy also underlies deeply ambivalent Soviet attitudes toward the United States. On the one hand, officials and citizens alike frequently recall warmly the Sovietnism" also changed during the "war for the American alliance and gratefully acknow-Fatherland," as traditional Russian national- ledge the U.S. aid, or Lend-Lease, that acist values overwhelmed revolutionary and in-

production during the years 1941-45. On the other hand, they resent bitterly any American slighting of their role in World War II, behind which they see a 40-year effort to deny the Soviet Union its hard-won right to full equality in the postwar world.

Perceiving such slights, as they did last year in the commemoration of D-Day at Normandy and as they will during this anniversary year, Soviet officials insist that their struggle was "decisive" in defeating Nazi Germany and in "saving world civilization." They argue that the war's major turning points took place at Moscow, Stalingrad and other Soviet battle sites; that until mid-1944 almost 95 percent of all Nazi ground forces were engaged on the eastern front, where Germany suffered 10 million of its total 13.6 casualties; and that 50 Soviet citizens died for every one American. Even after 40 years, no "historical truth" is more important in Soviet minds.

Apart from the need for "eternal vigilance." Soviet officials are far less united on the lessons to be learned from World War II, especially as they may apply to the United States. Pro-détente spokesmen still cite the wartime alliance as evidence that improved relations between the two countries are possible today. But other officials point no less adamantly to the German invasion as proof that perilous threats always lie in the west.

Their response to President Reagan's anti-Soviet crusade of the early 1980s was to equate him with Hitler. Americans outraged by that analogy should consider the Soviet reaction to some American "lessons" of the war. None is more offensive, even to many dissidents and emigres, than arguments that the Soviet Union is a latter-day replica of Nazi Germany, driven by the same violent cults and insatiable lust for conquest and with which any serious negotiations are Munichlike acts of "appeasement."

In the nuclear era, such "lessons" on both sides are as dangerous as World War II concepts of civil defense. Symbolic acts of mutual understanding and memory are needed to dispel them. If the political will cannot be found by May 3, 40 years after the day American and Soviet troops met at the Elbe, there is no reason to believe it will ever be found, at arms talks or anywhere else.

The writer is professor of politics at Princeton University and a commentator on Soviet affairs.

#### liness," as Izvestia observed recently, yet an-National glory can never compensate for such tragedies, but for most Soviet citizens final victory gave sacred meaning to personal losses. In their eyes it brought three great achievements: destruction of the Nazi war machine that had conquered the whole of

# Supporting the Eritreans Isn't Feasible

LONDON — The Eritreans, an enterprising people who have been in revolt against the government in Ethiopia for the best part of 25 years, know that now is the time to seize the NEW YORK — The liner Mohawk, which sank off the New Jersey coast [on Jan. 24] with moment. Much of the outside world does not have an ounce of sympathy a loss of 47 lives following a collision, is the for the Marxist government of Lieu-tenant Colonel Mengistu Haile Marthird passenger ship within four months to be lost in sea disasters. On Sept. 8, 1934, at 2:30 iam, which has practically brought a.m., the Morro Castle, one of the luxury liners the country to its knees.

The Entreans are not only step-

ping up the war, they are also stepping up their contacts with Western policymakers. But a close look at the ituation reveals a minefield for Western countries that might be tempted by a more activist role.

Ethiopia has always fascinated strategic thinkers because of its position at the mouth of the Red Sea. While Emperor Haile Selassie ruled, it was firmly in the Western camp. Today it is equally firmly in Mos-cow's camp, hosting 4,650 Soviet, East German and Cuban soldiers. Now, because of the famine, the West is being drawn back in. But the governments of the United States, Britain, West Germany and Canada, the principal aid givers, are not alto-gether happy with their role of bailing out a Marxist regime that has an appalling record on civil liberties.

To support the Eritreans is tempting. They are a thorn in Colonel Men-gistu's side. They are a hardworking in their demand for independence.

By Jonathan Power

Unity came into being in 1963, a fundamental premise written into its conflict between Eritrean separatists and Addis Ababa, the federal government down, abolished the charter was the recognition of colo-nial boundaries. For all their irrele-vance to traditional ethnic divisions, this seemed to the founding fathers of African independence the only way to avoid the tearing apart of Africa.

The Italians colonized the province of Ecitrea for 40 years. Before that

Eritrea had not existed as a separate Entrea had not existed as a separate political emity. Then during the Italians' short occupation of Ethiopia, early in World War II, they reunited Ethiopia in the image of the old Amharic rule, bringing Eritrea again under the authority of Addis Ababa.

Respecting the OAU's colonial boundaries could mean respecting the exparate identity of Etitrea. On

the separate identity of Eritrea. On the other hand, the same colonial forces that colonized Eritrea in effect put their stamp of approval on the old Amharic claim to Eritrea by ruling the two parts as one country as

soon as they got the chance.

The British complicated the argument when they liberated Ethiopia from the Italians in 1941. Entres was returned to its prewar frontiers and placed under British military occupation for eleven years until 1952. In 1950 the debate on Eritrea's future opened at the United Nations

and creative people. They have a case and the picture was further confused. Britain, the United States and their But if the West came to the help of allies favored federation of Entrea Eritrea it would need a watertight legal case, and there isn't one.

When the Organization of African

with Ethiopia. Moscow — opposite to its present position — took the side of Entrean independence. The West-

ern nations had their way, although Eritrea was given a large degree of autonomy and self-government.

federal institutions and integrated Eritrea fully into Ethiopia in 1962. Since then the military conflict has

escalated to its present proportions. It is estimated to have cost a quarter of a million lives, with the most mili-tant elements fighting for total independence. Yet it remains unclear whether a majority of Eritreans want to be independent. Autonomy is still probably the majority aim.

If the legal issue is blurred, politically the majority aim.

cally there are at least two good rea-sons for the West not to get involved. The Eritrean resistance is split three ways. Fighting has been common: over the years, a number of leaders have been liquidated by opposing factions. Moreover, the group that is most effective on the battlefield, the Eritrean People's Liberation Front, is Marxist-dominated. For the West to become deeply involved in support-ing the Eritrean cause would mean stepping into a minefield.

Longer-term political factors also

militate against involvement. Why should the West feel it has to involve itself in every African dispute? In Angola or Zaire it did not achieve its aims and only ended up giving itself a bad name as interventionist.

The Eritreans may deserve sympathy, but there are good reasons to withhold formal support.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

#### Ethiopia Needs to Hope The editorial "The Koreans Need

to Sell" (Jan. 8) notes that per capita income in South Korea jumped from \$100 in 1964 to \$2,000 in 1984 — that is, in the space of just 20 years — largely through hard work and in the absence of natural resources like oil. Certainly it is difficult even to dream of a similar growth rate for Ethiopia. However, I would be surprised if any-one dreamed of a \$2,000-per-capita

South Korea back in 1964. Everyone has heard a lot about Ethiopia's present agony. I think it is time to modify the news coverage a little to allow for rehabilitation potential and the goal of Ethiopian selfreliance in basic needs.

It is clear that the major contribution has to come from the Ethiopians themselves, both inside and outside the country. But along with that do-mestic effort the United States, the Soviet Union, Europe, Japan, China and the Arabs could play a decisive role. It ought to be possible to see a happier Ethiopia, if not a prosperous one, by the turn of the century.

Ethiopia has immensely contributed to international civilization in the past. If the better-off part of the world assisted her in this hour of difficulty, the world would in a sense

be paying back its debt.
I would like the international community to think of Ethiopia as facing a great challenge, that can be met if there is a will, instead of a tragedy

that implies a hopeless state. GETACHEW TELAHUN. Development Projects Study Agency, Addis Ababa.

Meddlesome Kennedys It could be added to your editorial

comment (Jan. 16) on Senator Edward Kennedy's trip to South Africa that he is not the first Kennedy to be accused of meddling in another coun-try's affairs. In 1957 Senator John F. Kennedy, speaking in the Senate, urged independence for Algeria, where France was deeply mired in countering a rebellion. This produced great irritation in official Washington circles and of course in Paris, where the government of Premier Guy Mol-let could scarely find words to ex-

press its exasperation.

The speech was cited in many places as an example of John Kennedy's irresponsibility in foreign affairs. Five years later Algeria was independent and Mr. Kennedy was president. ROBERT N. STURDEVANT.

#### Juan-les-Pins, France. Gossip Beside the Point

Whether Margaret Heckler, U.S. secretary for health and human services, condemned her husband "10 a life of either celibacy or adultery" by refusing to have sexual relations with him is titillating gossip unworthy of the International Herald Tribune (People, Jan. 10). Calling her political ambitions "all consuming" and sug-gesting that they drove her to avoid a divorce that could have been harmful to her career is gender-biased nonsense. A more appropriate discussion would focus on the secretary's public

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# 2 Officers Cry In Court as Film Shows archaiced in market Priest's Body Course following the country of the

TORUN, Poland - Two security police officers accused of kidnapping and murdering a pro-Soli-danty priest broke down and wept Friday as a court was shown film of

Priday as a court was shown film of his body being dragged from a reservoir.

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Their superior, Colonel Adam Pietruszka, who is charged with complicity in the killing, and Captain Piotrowski stared at a blank wall during the screening.

Colonel Pietruszka has pleaded not guilty; the three officers have confessed to the killing but said they were acting on orders of their superiors.

The court was shown black and white film of the priest's body being lifted from the reservoir where it was thrown Oct. 19. It was retrieved 11 days later.

The film showed the body, weighted by a bag of rocks and clad in a mud-smeared cassock, as it was lifted from the reservoir. Close-ups of his blackened face showed it bruised and swathed in adhesive tape and gauze that was used to gag

As the body was being searched, a group of police officers surrounding it were laughing. A defense lawyer explained that the officers were amused because they had discovered a calling card in his clothing that bore an address other than of his home. The lawyer said the offi-cers had assumed that the card confirmed reports that Father Popieluszko kept a secret apartment and

Earlier, the court listened to a recording of Lieutenant Chmielewski's voice as he confessed.

On Thursday, a pathologist, Professor Tadeusz Jozwik, said the exact time of death could not be determined, but he ruled out drowning as a cause. The autopsy results said the priest suffocated by being gagged, or by rope around his neck, or by choking on his blood.

Another pathologist, Maria Byrdy, showed the court the weapon used to club the priest -a thick tree branch. "This was heavy enough to inflict powerful blows which were delivered to his ear, jaw and the back of his skull," she said.



Maria Byrdy, a pathologist who performed the autopsy on Father Jerzy Popieluszko, shows a Polish court a ciub allegedly used in his murder by officers of the secret police.

# Soviet Delegates to Arms Talks Chosen Izvestia Continues Criticism of U.S. Space Defense Plan

MOSCOW — The Soviet Union has chosen its delegation to coming arms talks with the United States and will announce the negotiators' names in a few days, the Soviet news agency Tass said. An agency spokesman said later that the delegates' names would be announced in a few days. The government daily Izvestia,

ing Politburo, at its regular meeting Soviet press of President Ronald on Thursday, approved the negotiating team to the arms control talks. The talks were agreed upon wars, said: "There is open talk in Gromyko and Secretary of State tages of deploying American space George P. Shultz earlier this

The United States announced its conflict exactly over Europe and negotiating team last week.

"An appropriate decision was It said that, although the White

adopted, including on organiza-tional questions with regard to the Soviet delegation to the talks," House had indicated that the Sovi-et Union was working on a similar system, "The Soviet Union does

The agency reported that the rul- adding to the condemnation in the Foreign Minister Andrei A. the United States about the advanarms because it would make it possible to conduct an entire nuclear

not over the United States."

system, "The Soviet Union does not have such plans and the people in Washington know this well."

House had indicated that the Sovi-

"The Soviet Union, understandably, will not be sitting on its hands and waiting to see what will be the result of the American studies, but in its turn will be forced to take the necessary measures," the newspa-

Moscow has said that any agree-ment in the arms talks would be linked to a halt in the U.S. space weapons development, but Washington says it has no plans to halt its research on such a system.

■ U.S. Aide Pessimistic on Talks A senior U.S. official said Friday he saw little chance of agreement in the 1985 series of negotiations on European security and disarmament that opens Tuesday in Stock-holm, The Associated Press reported from Brussels.

The statement by James Goodby, chief U.S. delegate to the talks, contrasted with reports from agreement by the end of the year.

Speaking at the headquarters of In a meeting last week of the the North Atlantic Treaty Organiparliament's defense committee, zation shortly after high-level offi- coalition deputies voted down a cials from the 16 member nations motion from the opposition for a met to discuss their strategy for the freeze on deployment of the Per-Stockholm talks, Mr. Goodby said: shing-2s because of the accident. The will is there on our part to negotiate "

But he added later that he considered it unlikely that a deal could be struck much before the November 1986 deadline of the 35-nation Conference on Security and Disar-

# **Bonn Insists** Missile Fire **Did Not Pose** Public Threat

The Associated Press

BONN - A fire in a Pershing-2 missile that killed three U.S. soldiers at a missile base earlier this month posed no danger to the West German public, Defense Minister Manfred Wörner told the parliament on Friday.

During a debate about the acci dent, Mr. Wörner said "at no time" were local residents threatened by the missile that caught fire Jan. 11 at the Redleg missile base near

The U.S. Army said the first-stage rocket fuel ignited while the missile was being unloaded from a packing case, fatally burning three soldiers and injuring 16.

The army said there were no nuclear warheads nearby and the pub-lic was not endangered. But it has not released results of its investigation into the cause of the accident.

Mr. Wörner said German news reports were false in claiming that Pershing-2 missiles were inade-quately tested. He said 18 of 22 test firings in the United States have

But members of parliament from the leftist opposition Social Demo-crats and Greens advocated a freeze on deployment of the missiles and transporting them on Ger-man roads until the cause of the fire has been disclosed.

"The only sure protection is the removal of the missiles," declared Kartin Fuchs, a Social Democratic

However, Mr. Wörner and other deputies from the right-center coalition government rejected leftist calls for a "binding parliamentary statement" on the matter. There

"We shouldn't allow the mass media and the enemies of our state to cause hysteria," said Ursula Stockholm earlier this week that Krone-Appulm of the Bavarian Soviet diplomats expected an conservative Christian Social

Military officials have said about 50 Pershing-2 medium-range nuclear missiles have been stationed in southern Germany since deployment started in November 1983.

A total of 108 Pershing-2s are to be situated in in West Germany.

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# Silesian Debate Revives in Bonn **Proponents of German Reunification Embarrass Kohl** By Tyler Marshall Los Angeles Times Service

BONN — It has been almost 40

years since the Silesian region of Hitler's defeated Third Reich became part of Poland, but those who fled westward and began their lives anew in West Germany have never given up hope that the area would one day return to German hands. This week, amid political com-motion and pressure from Chancel-lor Helmut Kohl, West Germany

largest organization of Silesian ref-ugees was forced to reword a motto expressing these sentiments.

The controversy reflects the divisions in West Germany on such basic questions as the definition of

any future, reunited Germany.

The demands of refugee and expellee groups have complicated Mr. Kohl's efforts to improve relations with Eastern Europe. Poland, Czechoslovakia and the Soviet Union, which also owns such territory, bridle at talk of Germans reing lands lost after World War

This time, however, the motto selected for the annual raily of the Silesian League next June, "Forty years of banishment — Silesia re-

years of bandannent — Shesia remains ours," provoked debate in West Germany as well.

Mr. Kohl, who caused a controversy in the fall by becoming the first chancellor in almost two decades to address an expellee group, reportedly found the motto provocative and refused to honor a commitment to address the Silesian ral-

ly unless it were changed.
Right-wing members of Mr.
Kohl's Christian Democrats have
expressed understanding for the Silesian expellees, while the Social Democrat opposition condemned the argument. Hans-Jochen Vogel parliamentary leader of the Social Democrats, called the debate an "unseemly game" that could dis-turb West Germany's reconcilia-

tion with East bloc countries.

After meeting Monday with Mr.

Kohl, the Silesians modified their motto to: Forty years of banishment - Silesia remains our future in a Europe of free people." Herbert Hupka, head of the Sile-

sian League and a member of the West German parliament, said Tuesday that Mr. Kohl had accepted the new wording and would now address the gathering, which is ex-pected to draw 150,000 people. However, in an open letter to

Mr. Kohl on Tuesday announcing the change, Mr. Hupka maintained his hard line. "Silesia isn't just the home of Silesians," he wrote, "but the property of all Germans." Social Democrats charged that

the text of the letter and the new wording left the Silesians' position virtually unchanged. Horst Fhmke, their deputy parliamentary leader, gees from Silesia has published an

Herald Tribune

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Herbert Hnpka

called this "grotesque, shameful,"
In its 1970 treaty with Poland, the West German government ac knowledged the present Polish western frontier, including Silesia. The border, which Poland shares with East Germany, runs mainly along the Oder and Neisse Rivers.

Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher has repeatedly said recently that Bonn considers existing European borders "inviolable." But the West German govern-

ment also holds to a contradictory view that, sometime in the future, a peaceful realignment of Europe's frontiers will bring these lost areas back to German control.

Foreign Ministry officials admit the policy is confusing, but say un-officially that it would be politically difficult not to offer some hope to those West Germans who trace their origins back to the lost eastern

The German Silesians resettled in West Germany after World War II are estimated to number 2 million, an important part of the 13 million Germans driven from the eastern territories of the defeated German Reich after the postwar border realignments.

Silesia was conquered by Frederick the Great of Prussia in the 1740s, but its coal- and steel-producing regions were ceded to Poland after World War I. Poland acquired the rest of the province after World War IL, except for two small districts that are now part of East Germany.

■ Paper Describes Unification James Markham of The New York Times reported from Bonn on

article suggesting that the West German Army could move into eastern Europe and reunify Ger-

The article by Thomas Finke, "Reflections About Germany," which appeared in the organiza-tion's official organ, The Silesian, described a fictional, unopposed sweep by the Bundeswehr through eastern Europe to the Soviet frontier, saying that the "overwhelming part of the population greeted the Germans as liberators.

As Austria had decided to merge with the Federal Republic of Ger-many, German reunification had been achieved, he related.

Mr. Finke wrote that reunification had been possible because West Germany had used its economic weight to weaken the Soviet empire. "As long as the Soviet union is internally stable and strong in military and foreign po-licy terms, a solution of the Ger-man problem in the sense of the Federal Republic is not possible,

he wrote. In a statement that was cleared by the chancellor, Peter Boenisch, the government spokesman, on Fri-day criticized the article as "irresponsible, damaging and unwise."

"The federal government expects that the leadership of the Silesian organization will draw the consequences for those responsible for this mistaken action," he said.

# Seoul Disavows Threat to Jail Returning Exile

New York Times Service WASHINGTON - The South Korean Embassy says the government has disavowed a threat to imprison the opposition leader Kim Dae Jung if he returns from exile in the United States as

planned next month.

A statement issued by the embassy Thursday said the comments by Choi Chang Yoon, secretary for political affairs to President Chun Doo Hwan, that Kim would be imprisoned if he returned "do not represent the views of the Korean

The embassy understands they were strictly his personal views and do not relate to the position of the Korean government in any manner." the statement said.

An embassy spokesman said the disavowal had been approved by the Scoul government. He could not say what would happen to Mr. Kim if he flew back to South Korea as planned on Feb. 8. In the past, Seoul has limited its comments to saying that he would be dealt with according to Korean law.

# Angolan Rebels Appear to Be Overreaching Goals

Gromyko's Son Describes a Dream

Of 'Captain Reagan' Saving World

STOCKHOLM - The son of Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromy

ko of the Soviet Union has described a dream in which a Reagan-like figure saved the world from certain destruction through the arms race

after being persuaded to change course.

Professor Anatoli A. Gromyko, a former diplomat, said in remarks on Thursday to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute

on I hursday to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute
that he had dreamed of being a passenger on a ship commanded by a
captain "with cowboy guns in his pockets," one of the characterizations of President Ronald Reagan in the Soviet press.

He said the ship was the planet Earth and was heading straight for a
comet labeled "the arms race." He and other passengers rushed to the

captain's cabin on realizing what was happening.

"The captain was a strange person," the professor said. "He did not

believe us, as usual with captains, who are often stubborn men who

always know better than other people. He smiled politely at as and

one could notice two cowboy guns in his pockets. Finally, the captain, with the help of other captains, changed the course of our planet

"From that moment I became a firm believer that dreams come true

By Peter Wise

ngton Post Service LISBON - The Angolan rebel movement UNITA appears to be aid and the backing of an estimated overreaching its military capacity 25,000 Cuban troops in its war and is showing signs of internal against the rebels who acknowland is showing signs of internal against the rebels who acknowldissent as it intensifies gnerilla edge logistical support from South and diplomatic activity to secure a significant cole in the state of the state o significant role in negotiations to-ward a regional peace settlement, according to diplomatic observers.

leader, Jonas Savimbi, to achieve Africa, although Congress banned impressive military successes to demonstrate the guernilias' strength has met with opposition from field commanders who fear he is pushing the offensive ahead too far and opposition of the oppo ing the offensive ahead too far and too fast, according to the assessment of Western analysts here. Recent tensions within the pro-

Western rebel movement have been by the rebels of a setback in plans to advance toward the Angolan capital of Luanda, open disenchantment over closer U.S. ties with the Markist government and uncertainty surrounding the status of ton guerrilla leaders.

"The United States seems to be forgetting that we are its real friends in Angola," said Fernando Wilson dos Santos, a UNITA inscription of the Markist government and uncertainty surrounding the status of ton guerrilla leaders. reflected in the acknowledgment of top guerrilla leaders. "Something is clearly happening inside the UNITA hierarchy," said a Western diplomat in Lisbon, "but

it is difficult to assess the precise significance of the changes." Most only a symbolic presence in a fu-Africa watchers in this former colo-nial capital attribute the signs of In a diplomatic offensive that nial capital attribute the signs of agitation to rebel fears that they are being squeezed out of U.S.-led efagitation to rebel fears that they are being squeezed out of U.S.-led efforts to end bush wars in Angola and the neighboring South African-controlled territory of Southcan-controlled territory of South-West Africa, also known is Namib-

UNITA, a Portuguese acronym for the National Union for the To-tal Independence of Angola, has been waging an effective anti-govemment campaign of economic is an intensification of the guerrilla sabotage and guerrilla attacks since war focused on besieging the capiits defeat by the ruling Popular Movement for the Liberation of Movement for the Liberation of Angola (MPLA) in a brief civil war

that followed independence from Portugal in 1975. The Marxist MPLA draws on Soviet technical

before it was too late."

- they must," he said.

have given UNITA tacit support as allies in a strategy to diminish Sovi-The determination of the rebel et and Cuban influence in southern quiet U.S. diplomacy in the region has led to a warmer climate in relations between Luanda and Washington that the rebels view with

"The United States seems to be sions and not the MPLA." He expressed concern that the Reagan administration would seek to accommodate Luanda by accepting a settlement in which UNITA had

ing the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola "a last chance" to negotiate its demand for full power-sharing in a government of national unity. According to Mr. Wilson dos Santos, the alternative



Jonas Savimbi, Angolan rebel leader

widening of the bush offensive.

Over the past year UNITA claims to have extended armed operations into every Angolan prov-ince except southwestern Mocameunsuited to guerrilla combat. The rebels say they control large areas of the southeast and are currently setting up their own administration in the remote northeastern dia-

considerable, they note recent indi-cations that rebel forces may have been put under severe strain by a into Luanda province by the end of last year in a drive toward the capi-

"So far only about 7,000 men are in the province but the mobilizaexcept southwestern Mocame-where the desert terrain is son dos Santos. Allowing for exaggeration, the actual number is thought to be much lower. Reliable sources estimate overall rebel strength at about 20,000.

Mr. Savimbi claims to command mond-mining province of Limda a force of 50,000, including regular troops, guerrillas and local militias.

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Philadelphia Daily News

# Stassen Says There Is an 'Urgent Need' For Changes in UN He Helped Create

New York Times Service York - Harold E. Stassen, the only American now living to have helped draft and to have signed the of the General Assembly.

original United Nations Charter, As the United Nations says there is "a very orgent need" for a second charter so that "a new United Nations might grow out of

Mr. Stassen, 77, a former gover-nor of Minnesota and five-time presidential candidate, said Thursday the world organization was "deteriorating" and that, without changes, "the alternative is spreading terrorism and growing local

strengthened by the introduction of world war."

"weighted voting" based on such UNITED NATIONS, New factors as population and gross na-tional product rather than the current one-country one-vote system As the United Nations prepares

to celebrate its 40th anniversary, Mr. Stassen urged member states to consider establishing a new 22-member Central Cabinet of Administrators, a permanent peace force of 250,000 members and a more equitable system of financ-

He acknowledged that the United Nations had been successful in meeting its primary goal of peacekeeping and was "entitled to substantial credit for the crucial fact Mr. Stassen suggested that the stantial credit for the crucial fact world organization could be that there has not been a third



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# ARTS/LEISURE

# Recent Books Illustrate Revival of Interest in Antique Jewelry

International Herald Tribune The slogan "small is beautiful" has reached the art academic world. Antique jewelry is becoming

It may have started five years ago when Yvonne Hackenbroch, a

retired Metropolitan Museum cu-SOUREN MELIKIAN

rator, came out with "Renaissance Jewellery," published by Philip Wilson in London. A marvelous exhibition organized the year after at the Victoria and Albert Museum by Anna Somers Cocks, "Princely Magnificence: Court Jewels of the Renaissance 1500 to 1630," refined

In 1983, another masterly exhibition took place, at the Musée des Art Decoratifs in Paris. The subject was "Les Fouquet," a family of French Art Nouveau and Art Deco jewelers. The organizer, Marie-Noël de Gary, using untapped Fou-quet archives in the museum. showed the sketches done by Georges Fouquet, who designed Art Nouveau and late Art Deco pieces, and Jean, his brother, essentially an Art Deco artist, side by them. This was a coup. Jean Fouquet and designers commissioned

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the theme by focusing on fully do- objets d'art as significant, in their way, to the movement of Abstractionist Cubism as the now-famous painters of that period. A book edited by Marie-Noël de Gary, in-cluding her catalogue raisonne of the Fouquet production, is one of the finest ever published on jewelry. Unaccountably, there is no English-language edition of "Les Fouquet" (Flammarion).

In the last few months, the jewelry revival has gathered momentum. An exhibition on neoclassical and Biedermeier jewelry, which origiside with the jewelry made from nated in the Schmuckmuseum (Jewelry Museum) at Pforzheim. West Germany, is at the Dusselby the Fouquet company were dorf Stadtmuseum through March shown to have created miniature 3. It is characteristic of the role

that the author of the catalog, Brigitte Marquardt, was also the au-thor of the book Schmuck, Klassi-zismus und Biedermeier 1780-1850." Published in Munich in 1983, it covered new ground and triggered the exhibition.

burst of publications. Most revealing of the new scholarly awareness of a potential interest on the part of the general public is a hardcover collecting essentially in the 18th sive display, with its overflow of booklet, "Rings," published by the and 19th century, the volume re-third-rate pieces, the Hull Grundy Victoria and Albert Museum. The produces the jewelry seen at auc-collection gives a perfect cross secwriter, Shirley Bury, curator of metalwork, is a top authority on four years. later 19th- and 20th-century objets d'art. The text is short, captions are cut down to a minimum and the emphasis is on color photography. The aim is to make the book attractive to a wide readership "at the lowest possible price," as the museum director, Sir Roy Strong, notes

on the back cover.
Whether "Rings" will succeed in popularizing such wonderful pieces as the Anglo-Saxon silver-gift medallion of the 9th century found in the Thames river in 1856 is a moot question. But publications of this kind may reduce the destructiveness that has wiped out so much jewelry, so much of the past. Small silver and gold objects, accidentally dug up, have all too often been mishandled, lost or melted down. Family jewelry handed from one generation to another has been dismantled the precious stones reset to suit changing tastes. In a country like France, the most fashion-conscious of all, little jewelry of the 18th century has survived, although vast quantities are known to have been produced. In Britain, thanks to the more tradition-minded fam-

WASHINGTON — The direc-tor and producer Peter Sellars

has announced his plans for the

creation of a national theater com-

pany at the Kennedy Center, start-

ing this spring with productions of Shakespeare's "Henry IV, Part L"

The American National Theater,

with a \$6-million budget, will take up year-round residence in the

Kennedy Center's Eisenhower Theater. The center's smaller, 500-

seat Terrace Theater will showcase

productions from other American

theater groups, sometimes in col-

laboration with Sellars' company.

Top ticket prices, now \$30, will

and a comedy by Mae West.

Sellars' Season Announced

Some idea of the respective proportions may be gathered from Di- and most comprehensive collection ana Scarisbrick's survey of the jew- of jewelry in the world - that she, elry market, a bilingual volume in would donate her treasures to Italian and English titled "Il Valore them, she turned to the British Mudei gioielli e degli orologi da colle- seum at the 11th hour because it In November, there was an out- zione." (Umberto Allemandi), rendered in English as "Antique Jewellery and Watch Values" that is, prices. After a brief essay on tion and in the trade over the past

> The book is divided by period. and the 18th-century section is disressingly thin.

Nouveau. Of it all, almost nothing

can be described for sure as 18thcentury French jewelry. True, the catalog edited by Hugh Tair, a dep-

uty keeper at the British Museum,

appears to have been produced un-

der great pressure — the standards

of photography are less than ade-quate, the layout is a jumble and

many entries are reduced to a cou-

ple of lines while others run to

pages; even so, it is obvious that

in general and France in particular

There could be no greater con-trast with "Cartier," available in

the original German, in a stum-

bling French version and in a better

English translation published by

Thames and Hudson. Hans Nadelhoffer, a gem expert and now presi-

chronological lists, such as those of

succeeding watch models. It in-

by Cartier in 1909.

are concerned.

The most telling indication of the scarcity of 18th-century French jewelry is to be found in another recent book, a two-volume catalog of the Ann Hull Grundy collection. Mrs. Grundy, as she was known to every museum curator and dealer in London, died last summer, shortly after donating the last of the 1,188 items recorded in the catalog to the British Museum, where

they are now on show. scholarship is still daintily feeling its ground where the 18th century She was by all accounts a voracious jewelry collector. Unlike another pioneer in the field. Dame Joan Evans, who inherited a great collection and expanded it by adding rarities before donating them all to the Victoria and Albert Museum in 1975, Mrs. Grundy did not particularly care for star pieces. She bought in batches, conducting her business from her bedroom, to which she was confined by illness. She wanted her pieces displayed chives of Cartier. The result is a book full of details, almost a yeartogether in a single place.

This collection is my pyramid," to-year record of the company's ilies of the aristocracy, a good deal she is quoted as saying to one art activity, with some irreplaceable

dents, the elderly and the handi-

mer artistic director of the Boston

Shakespeare Company, was named

director of the American Theater

His first season in the Eisenhow-

er Theater will begin March 23 with a new version of the Shakespeare

drama, directed by Timothy Mayer

and starring John Heard, John McMartin and Patti Lupone.

In June, the company will pre-sent "Come on Over," subtitled

"Embassy Row," a never-produced

comedy about Washington written by the actress Mae West. Sellars'

staff discovered the script in the

Company last July.

capped as low as \$7.50. The iconoclastic Sellars, 27, for-

played by scholarship in the revival more appears to have been pre-historian. After suggesting for years to the Victoria and Albert Museum — which has the finest complied with her demand that the "pyramid" be displayed in its entirety in a special room. While it fails to make an imprestion of what could be had in the market in the last 30 years - a small number of 18th-century pieces, a large number of mid-19thcentury pieces and loads of Art

An 18th-century aigrette from the Hull Grundy collection.

# **Opéra Comique Stages** Russian Rarity in Paris

By David Stevens International Herald Tribune

PARIS — Alexander Dargo-mizhsky's version of the Don Juan legend, "The Stone Guest." dent of Christie's Geneva, spent has two important things in comthree years going through the armon with some far better known Russian operas — a story by Pushkin and orchestration by Rimsky-Korsakov, But these have not been enough to rescue the work from the encyclopedias, where it is generally presented as one of the most influential flops in operatic history.

cludes countless bits of previously Indeed, Dargomizhsky himself unpublished information — a famous briolette diamond weighing 90.38 carats, constantly described 1813-1869) is hardly known in the West through his music, but rather as appearing in a picture of the through his role in trying to estab-16th century Fontainebleau school. lish a new Russian musical idiom turns out to have been cut by a - efforts industriously propagandiamond dealer named Aramik Ekdized by Cesar Cui and exploited nayan shortly before its acquisition with genius in the music dramas of y Cartier in 1909.

Mussorgsky, With the help of Rim-sky and Cui, "The Stone Guest" books and staging exhibitions. The had its premiere in 1872 in St. Pe-Society of Jewelry Historians. tersburg. The arrival of the work at founded in London by British the Opera Comique is a rare chance scholars including Shirley Bury and Hugh Tait (he is now chairman). 35 the Shadow of historical curiosity.

well as London dealers, has 333 What the composer was after members from around the world. was "truth" that involved bending The first issue of its yearly journal. the musical line to fit the inflecrunning to more than 90 pages, is tions of the Russian language. The due out shortly. Its next symporesult, in "The Stone Guest," is a running to more than 90 pages, is sium will be Feb. 19 at Burlington musical speech that is generally la-beled "melodic recitative," in

selves in short phrases that hover permanently between recitative and arioso. The orchestra is subor-dinated to the voices, although it is by no means reticent - such dramatic climaxes as there are come as much from the pit as the stage.

al Greams

It is a fascinating work when listened to in its historical context - both musical and literary. But little known works are usually little known for a reason, and the short answer here is probably that Dargomizhsky did not have the talent to match his reforming zeal. There are some interesting melodic ideas, but they disappear before they become familiar, and except for a couple of Spanish songs for the character of Laura and a lively fight scene, the musical landscape is rather flat. And, fatally, the composer seems to have lacked the gift of musical characterization, which Mussorgsky possessed in the high-

Although Dargomizhsky set Pushkin's "little tragedy" almost word for word, the result is not a fully developed drama. Its four scenes, each about 20 minutes long, are episodic. This Don Juan is part callous libertine and part Byronesque romantic, capable of sincerity and philosophical reflection. The principal episode is his effort to capture the love of Dona Anna. who here is the widow of the Commander he has killed before the opera begins. It ends the same way

as Mozart's version, though, when the statue shows up for dinner.

The premiere Thursday at the Salle Favart was a mixed bag. strongly sung but often badly let down by the orchestra. The prelude sounded more like a ragged first run-through, and although Jean-Claude Casadesus got things more under control as the evening continued, Dargomizhsky certainly de-served better than he got from the band (or the house's notoriously

raucous acoustics). Don Juan is written for a strong tenor, and Allan Cathcart delivered a stalwart and convincing performance, despite a certain dramatic blandness. The soprano Mariana Nicolesco was an Anna of dark, Slavic intensity, and mezzo soprano Glenys Linos a sultry Mediterranean Laura. John Paul Bogart made the most of the short role of Don Carlos, the Commander's brother, until being skewered in his turn by the Don.

But even in this solid cast it was the Czech bass Sergei Koptchak, as Leporelio, who swept vocal honors. Koptchak, who was heard at the Paris Opera as Pimen in "Boris Godunov," sang like a man with no vocal problems at all — full toned and easy in the role's dark Russian

depths and ringing and free on top. Perhaps there is not much that can be done visually with this work. but the distinguished Czech stage director Otomar Kreica, who mounted this production originally for La Scala, seemed content just to keep his characters on the move. The duel scene was splendidly cho-reographed, but the final scene fizzled, with Don Juan collapsing before the statue had a chance to shake hands. Guy-Claude François' double-arcade unit set was effective and atmospheric, and Jan Skalicky designed idiomatic cos-

tumes.

For some reason, the program listed this three-act work as being in two acts, then played the whole thing without an intermission. Perhaps the idea was to intensify the drama, but, if anything, this helped point up the weaknesses and, besides, made for a long sit. Other performances of "The Stone Guest" are scheduled for Jan. 26, 28 and 30, and Feb. 1, 4, 6 and 8.

#### Al Capone's Old Digs To Be Women's Center The Associated Press

CHICAGO — The old Lexington Hotel, a one-time brothel that was also headquarters and home for Al Capone, will be converted into an international women's museum and research center in time for the 1992 Chicago World's Fair-Patricia Porter, executive director of the women's group organizing the project, said the museum will not ignore the past of the hotel. which had 10 underground tunnels and a dozen secret staircases.

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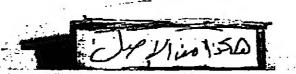
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# Red Grooms Raises Another Ruckus Valentino Piles on the Embroidery in '50s Show

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ONDON - A "nickus" is defaced in that bible of the English ericographer, the Oxford En-glishiDictionary, as "an uproar, distribunce or row," while the Readys Digest Great Illustrated Dickmary, developed from the lexial databases of the Houghton Milin Co, of Boston, defines a runas as "a noisy disturbance, a commotion." Both dictionaries age that the word is a hybrid of nicon and rumpus, while the OLD adds that the word's earlie was recorded by "American Dilect Notes" as 1907 in northwat Arkansas.

Whatever its origin and usage, American artist Red Grooms, bru in Nashville, Tennessee, in 137, has called his huge painted tural works Ruckuses since 962 when he produced the first of hese large environmental and figurative installations, "City of Chicago," His cohort of collaborators and assistants is called the Ruckus

For his first major exhibition in Britain he completed a three-dimensional, 20-foot-long (6-meter) Ruckus called "The Alley," depicting life in an alleyway in SoHo in lower Manhattan, framed by slices

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son River Museum in Yonkers, know Paris well enough."
New York; the "Ruckus Rodeo,"
first exhibited in 1981 at the Aspen
Center for Visual Arts and now work: Among the 30 paintings, col-



Red Grooms working on his installation, "The Alley.

stitute of Contemporary Art for the France, where many of his recent city's centenary celebrations and works were created last summer bought by a group of citizens for and fall, the Philadelphia Civic Center. "That Why no London Ruckus? "Be-I came to stay in France last year, I

of buildings, trucks and other ligures.

A splendid mixed-media work,
"London Bus," was featured in
Grooms's 1984 New York show.

Wooden-framed and acrylic-paintadding the catty of th Grooms's 1984 New York snow.

Farlier Ruckuses included the impressive "Ruckus Manhattan," in New York in 1975-1976, successive Worked in for 12 years and more. I fully sestaged in Tokyo at the Seibu walk along it almost every day Museum six years later; the "Discount Store" at Nashville (1978); the "Bookstore," now in the Hudwidly satisfactory, since I didn't

owned by the city of Fort Worth, lages and reliefs are many inscribed Texus; and the "Philadelphia Cor-"Gordes," a place on the Vau-

wine bottles." collaged photograph heads of "The Bathers"; the hang-glider and the present-day lovers, observing with nucepia," commissioned by the In- chuse-Provence border in southern amusement and even wonder the cavortings of the dancing antipopes on the "Bridge at Avignon";

the photo of the young pop singer cut from a magazine that provides the face of "La Liberte," a 1984 updating of the chief figure in Delacroix's "Liberty Leading the Peo-Nor is this last image the only witty reference to other masters. The cardboard, glue and collage figures of "Les Demoiselles de Marseilles" are a travesty of Picasso's Cabist damsels. A parody of van Gogh's "L'Arlésienne" is painted in bright colors on a shovel. A van Goghish "Man in a Field" is painted on a hoe blade, "Simple," said Grooms. "I arrived in France without materials. I don't speak French. I went to a bricoleur [do-it-yourself shop] and saw the hoe and those shovels there and thought

"That was and is different. When

brought only my paints, not even a

States we are extravagant with the mass of materials we use, while in

France people are so careful to conserve everything for when it might be useful. The boxes you get with

the groceries, the images on pack-

ages, advertisements in the papers

and magazines, I saved them all, even the foil and the corks from

He made good use of them — the

how much personality and underly-ing dignity there was to those things, and how well they'd suit my ideas." As a loner who dabbled in Happenings and chose to be in New York at the height of Abstract Expressionism, Grooms was, despite his figurative inclinations, influ-enced by Kline, Guston and de Kooning. But there can be no firm-er nor finer mentor, even at this remove, than Rembrandt, the arch-

"Red Grooms: Recent Work," Marlborough Fine Art, 6 Albemarle Street, London WI, through March

By Hebe Dorsey International Herald Tribune ROME — Continuing in his long and successful "rich is better" tradition, Valentino has de-

> mer collection. Shown Thursday evening in the frescoed salons of the Grand Hotel, whose pillars were decked with green foliage, it was an event on Rome's social calendar, the kind that attracts sequins, sables and diamonds, all stacked on top of one

livered an uplifting gem of a sum-

"It's like going to the opera — I can't believe it," said Luisa Moore, who flew in by private jet from

#### **ROME FASHIONS**

Gstaad. Her husband, Roger, did not make it; he was recuperating from seven weeks of filming another James Bond spectacular.

Maria Pia Fanfani, in a long beaded Valentino tunic, flew in from Washington. The ultrathin Nan Kempner came from New York on her way to Paris, Gstaad and the Nile. The actress Clio Goldsmith came from Paris. So did the Comtesse de Ravenel, who made the trip specially to select a dress — gold or yellow mandatory — for the March 30 housewarming of La Favorita, Jean-Pierre and canvas. So I had to begin by getting the feel of the available materials. And what I found was that in the Rosemarie Marcie-Rivière's new home in Argentina.

Valentino gave them just what they expected — a pretty, slim, cropped look for daytime and tons of embroidery for evening. Neat little dresses were toward by belalittle dresses were topped by boleros, grazing draped waists. Shoulders were still very much there, good and square but not aggressive. This was an elegant, leggy look, with skirts well above the knees.

The mood was back to the '50s. when girls were girls and knew it. Valentino's most blatantly retro touches included short white kid gloves (the kind you only wear once), white collars and cuffs, white camelia buttonholes and

black Ascot ties à la "Gigi." The collection was awash in pink, from a coy, bombon-pink silk crepe to startling, neon-pink make-up. Next in line came turquoise, parma and a soft chartreuse. Black and navy were used as counterpoints. There was a lot less beige than usual, except for the opening numbers, which were carried in a coarse, interesting linen. The collection's 78 coats came in strong colors over slim black dresses.

Although the embroidery was just short of mind-boggling. Valen-tino's best moments were his most sober ones. His last dress - of plain red silk by Taroni held by two black bows in back — brought down the house. Two other beauties were the panniered, Velasquez Infanta dresses. One was made of stiff black silk with turouoise niers; the other was solid black and impressive in its simplicity.

Valentino, who started a trend in jeweled evening shoes, continued with stiletto heels in colors and patterns matching the dresses: pink and turquoise, silver and gold, black and white dots, glittering

One of the most amazing things about Valentino is that year in, year out, the luxury of his collections is unabated. He still employs 130 seamstresses, who work until the last minute; there doesn't seem to be a single sewing machine in



Valentino putting the finishing touches on a red crepe dress.

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# A Cornucopia of Objects from Holy Year Festivals By Edith Schloss

Grooms's "La Liberté" (1984).

ROME—"Jubilee" comes from the Hebrew word yubel, for the ran's horn blown every 50 years, when slaves were freed and debts canceled. The first Christian jubilee was proclaimed in 1300 by Pope Baniface VIII, when everyone who writed the churches of St. Peter and St. Paul in Rome 30 times received plenary indulgence and remission of all sins except usury.

At the first jubilee, pilgrims flocked to Rome from every corner of Europe to adore the Holy Face on Si Veronica's veil and to visit St. Peer's grave.

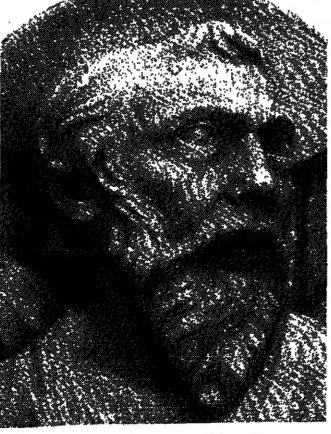
Sussequent jubilees, or holy year - not only a time of renewal of fith, popular festival and pagcant but also great occasions for porp as well as revenue - continuecat intervals of 50 and later 25 yers. Occasional special jubilees andeclared, as Pope John Paul II die for 1983.

A selection from the cornucopia ofartifacts ordered made for each hly year — paintings, sculptures, rosaics, frescoes, ceremonial objets, manuscripts, books, guides nd so on -being exhibited at the alazzo Venezia is a clear indicaion of the popular taste of each period as well as the judgment of the popes as patrons of the arts. Above all it shows the role of the papacy as a political power in Italy. One can see that, when that power declined under Pius IX in 1875, artistic production for the church

word, most of it is from the VatiMachiavelli, but also an enterprising builder and urban innovator
tween the pavement of the Renaistween the pavement of the Renais-sance St. Peter's and the floor of the wealth his jubilee of 1475 brought Constantine basilica under it. To him. To him we owe the start of the this basement, artists and archi- Sistine Chapel, the hospital of Santects relegated the work of their to Spirito, the church of Santa Mapredecessors when erecting their ria del Popolo and the Ponte Sisto,

> show that is meant to be Rome's cased the load of pilgrims over the answer to the Medici exhibitions in Ponte Sant'Angelo, until then the Tuscany four years ago, there are only bridge crossing the Tiber. two outstanding features. The first

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Detail from the ciborium of Sistus IV.

Though the material assembled lators of power politics and nepotism in the church, according to Machiavelli but also according to only one of the first great manipuown additions to papal splendor. the bridge that channeled holy-year Among the memorabilia in a traffic back from St. Peter's and so This enterprising pope's jubilee

is a freshly reconstructed ciborium ciborium, a structure surrounding commissioned by Sixtus IV, not the receptacle holding the host, has been reconstructed as it was in SL Peter's in the 15th century. There it stood on the spot where today the Pope Clement VIII, it is the first central altar in St. Peter's is surmounted by Bernini's baldachin, theme that hangs in the church of with its giant twisting bronze col- Santa Maria del Popolo. The subumns. It is not clear where the cibo- ject of the painting, revelation and rium originated, nor which of the artists who were engaged in the building of the Remaissance St. Peter's - such as Bramante, Raphael terpiece presents a lavish scene of or Michelangelo - was responsible drama and brooding, sharp shadow for its removal to the Vatican Grot-for its removal to the Vatican Grot-mand sudden illumination.

\*\*Rome from 1300 to 1875: The turies, until its corner panels were Art of the Holy Years," Museum of

hibition. After that, as some scholars had conjectured, the corner panels were found to dovetail with some larger panels to form the en-

tire structure of the ciborium.

This is made up mainly of four large marble reliefs depicting the life of St. Peter and his suffering at the hands of pagan soldiers. It stands squat and stern, willfully alluding to Roman art, Trajan's column and the Roman sarcophagi. But though it plays with the values of the past and means to be severely classical, this beautiful frieze is tempered by the attention to fine detail of the Renaissance, and by Renaissance balance and

Of pure Renaissance grace are other pieces of a resurrected monument from the grottoes, figures by Mino da Fiesole from a tomb to Pope Paul II, who restored many ancient monuments and left a fine collection of antiques. He also built the palace in which the exhibition is housed, the Palazzo Venezia.

Other exhibits include a "SL Veronica's Veil" by El Greco, recently discovered in a monastery near Toledo; a finely simplified bust of Boniface VIII; a mosaic after a drawing by Giotto; and works by Melozzo da Forli, Borromini and Bernini, among the most notewor-

thy.

But, in addition to the ciborium of Sixtus IV, it is another great work brought before the public for the first time that makes the show especially worthwhile: the "Conversion of Saul," believed by most scholars to be by Caravaggio. Commissioned for the jubilee of 1600 by version of the canvas on the same rebirth, is an obvious allegory for

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Valentino has left the Camera tired from Lanvin.

sight at his workshops, A Valentino Nazionale della Moda, the Italian dress still takes three weeks to emcouture association. This could

dresses that were shown informally One of his embroidered dresses, to buyers and journalists. The which would have done very well for Marie-Antoinette, was covered left 60 percent of the company and with tiny pink silk roses, diamond the artistic direction to Olivier Roshearts and gold leaves, all applied setti, a Rome hairdresser, who was by hand. Another was embroidered Laug's companion for 26 years. with multicolored crystal beads in a Helped by the dedicated staff, Roscross-strich pattern, another still setti — who said Laug left about featured giant paisley patterns. The 3,000 sketches — plans to hire pretriest group were the mono-chrome, pearl-embroidered shirts to help him coordinate the collecover short, swinging skirts — per-tions. The best name that has haps the world's most luxurious sportswear. François Crahay, who recently re-

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Dow Posts a 5.63-Point Gain

NEW YORK — The stock market posted a modest gain Friday and finished the week with broad market averages at all-time highs.

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15th consecutive session in which more stocks gained than lost.

Big Board volume stipped to 122.4 millionshares, down from 160.7 million shares traded
Thursday.

"The fact that the stock market is consolidating around these levels is very, very good," said Keith Hertell of Drexel Burnham Lambert. He said the prolonged periods of advances over declines "tells us that people are concluding it is turns on equities as opposed to other financial instruments." Mr. Hertell believes the rise will continue and take the Dow industrials to 1,300

Before the stock market opened, the Department of Commerce reported orders for durable goods declined 2.1 percent in December. For all

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The latest figures were depressed by a 17.6percent drop in defense orders. Durables orders
were up 8.3 percent in November.
The Department of Treasury reported that
the U.S. government had a deficit of \$15.2
billion in December. The total deficit since the
1985 fiscal year began Oct. 1 is \$72.4 billion.
At that rate the fiscal year will have a deficit
of more than \$200 billion.
Alan Ackerman of Herzfeld & Stern said the
strength in the stock market is because "the

Interest-sensitive stocks and brokerage issues were top performers, as a three-week advance kept building on heavy volume.

The Dow Jones industrial average gained 5.63 to 1,276.06. For the week, the Dow gained 48.70. Since closing at 1,184.96, the blue-chip index has gained 91.10.

The New York Stock Exchange index gained 0.39 to 102.42, topping an all-time high set Wednesday. The price of an average share increased 13 cents. Standard & Poor's 500-stock index climbed 0.64 to 177.35, also an all-time high.

Advances topped declines 975-628 among the 2,036 issues traded at 4 P.M. EST. It was the 15th consecutive session in which more stocks

tions have been rotating out of some positions and into others.

Composite volume of NYSE issues listed on all U.S. exchanges and over the counter at 4 P.M. totaled 146.9 million shares, down from 188.9 million Thursday.
Phillips Petroleum was the most active

NYSE-listed issue, up ¾ to 48¾. Some investors may have purchased the stock to have a vote on the company's recapitalization plan.

Federal National Mortgage Association was second, up 11st to 17%. The company is a heavy borrower and would benefit from lower interest

Merrill Lynch was third, up 1¼ to 33¼, Phi-bro-Salomon jumped 1½ to 38¾ and Quick & Reilly Group advanced 1½ to 21¾, American

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# Reagan's Budget: New Life As Legislative Starting Point

SATURDAY-SUNDAY, JANUARY 26-27, 1985

By LEONARD SILK New York Times Service

EW YORK — President Ronald Reagan's budget, which some Congressmen said would be "dead on arrival" when it reaches Capitol Hill Feb. 6, now seems to be alive and kicking. The Senate majority leader, Robert J. Dole, and the House speaker, Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., have accented Mr. Reagan's budget as the basis for their own have accepted Mr. Reagan's budget as the basis for their own.

Despite the moaning about the deficit, there is no appetite, among either Republicans or Democrats, for raising taxes or for making bigger cuts in the budget than those the president is

To be sure, Congress will press the administration for more restraint on the rate of increase in the military budget than Mr.

Reagan and the defense secretary, Caspar W. Weinberger, are proposing. But the legisla-tors are divided on how much more to ask. Doves are calling for a freeze on the military but hawks are ready to give Mr. Reagan whatever he wants for the Pentagon.

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There is no appetite for raising taxes or for making bigger cuts in the budget.

In a preliminary plan sent to the Senate early this month, the administration proposed to cut military outlays by 58.7 billion in 1986, with savings resulting from those first-year cuts projected at \$9.2 billion and \$10.2 billion in 1987 and 1988.

These modest trims would bring down the rate of increase in military spending after inflation to 6.4 percent, from 8.7 percent next year. But in the two following years, the rate of military spending would rise by 8.1 percent and 8.8 percent, an increase over the rise of 6.6 percent in 1987 and 8.6 percent in 1988 that

To achieve a freeze in total program spending in 1986, not counting the increase in interest payments on the national debt, the administration wants to cut the nonmilitary part of the budget by \$50 billion. A cut of that size would mean additional savings of \$2 billion to \$3 billion in interest savings.

This would mean drastic cuts in subsidy programs that "have not been touched in 50 years," according to Edwin L. Dale Jr., a spokesman for the Office of Management and Budget.

NONGRESS seems unlikely to give the president all the social cuts he is seeking. The prospects are that the total cut in spending is likely to be closer to \$35 billion in 1986 than to the \$50 billion the White House is seeking.

Mr. Reagan has contended that economic growth will cause the deficit to vanish. He also called once more, in his inaugural address, for a constitutional amendment to balance the budget. But even on the administration's own optimistic growth as-sumptions, the deficit would not shrink without big spending cuts - or tax increases, which it does not want. The OMB assumes that the gross national product will climb at an annual rate of 4 percent for the next three years and that inflation, after a slight increase to 4.3 percent in 1986, will decline to 3.8 percent in 1988.

The OMB is also assuming that unemployment will decline to 6.2 percent by the end of 1988 and that interest rates will keep going down, with the Treasury bill rate, now at 7.6 percent, falling to 5.5 percent in 1988.

The administration's assumption that interest rates will continme to decline in the next three years in the face of rising output seems more optimistic than that of the financial markets, especially as reflected in the slower decline in long-term than short-

While three-month Treasury bills have come down to 7.6 percent from 8.9 percent a year ago, the rate on 30-year Treasury bonds has declined only to 11.33 percent from 11.72 percent last Brent crude, the most widely trad-January. Telephone bonds have come down to an average rate of 12.23 percent from 12.63 percent a year ago, and the average rate

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## **Currency Rates**

Late interbonk rates on Jan. 25, excluding fees.

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# A New Try By OPEC On Prices

### Yamani Defends \$29 Benchmark

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatche GENEVA — OPEC delegates began gathering here Friday for anbegan gathering here rhosy for another emergency meeting on prices amid reports that Saudi Arabian light crude oil may soon be abandoned as the cartel's pricing base.

Price differentials were high on the agenda at October's meeting, but the agenda at October's meeting.

but plummeting world oil prices forced the ministers' attentions to production limits to bolster spot prices. It is to be on the agenda when the 13 ministers of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries meet here Monday. Some OPEC officials in the Gulf

said Friday that the cartel hoped to maintain its general price level despite price cutting by North Sea producers and weak spot markets.

The officials said that as part of a pricing overhaul begun last month, the traditional policy of linking prices to the Saudi Arabian light crude marker probably would be dropped soon to give OPEC new flexibility in adjusting to changing market conditions. Arabian light crude currently is priced at \$29 per

"Another Saudi crude, or a bas-ket of crudes produced by the king-dom, could be adopted as a new reference tool," one official said. But Saudi Arabia's oil minister,

Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, said Friday in Algiers that OPEC should continue to defend its \$29-a-barrel benchmark price for Saudi Arabian light crude.

He did not rule out a cut in prices of other light grades of oil.
"We don't intend to raise prices of heavy crude oils," Sheikh Yama-ni said, according to the Algerian Press Service. "We could look once

again at light crude prices." OPEC production has dropped below the ceiling of 16 million bar-rels per day set in October. Latest estimates of January output are be-

tween 15.5 million and 15.9 million barrels per day, with one estimate as low as 14 million barrels per day. The cold weather that recently swept the Northern Hemisphere has taken some immediate pressure off the cartel by firming spot prices,

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international debt problems, banking sources said.

The regulators, who last fall classified as "substandard" the bulk of Argentine loans on the books of cord with the International Monetary Fund and has paid a substan-

tial portion of its overdue interest. The ruling will permit the banks to remove many of the Argentine loans from their problem lists and at many financial institutions.

around the world have made loans expire on March 31. totaling about \$25 billion to Argentina. U.S. banks hold about \$8.5 billion of that amount. All told, Argentina has about \$47 billion in outstanding foreign debts, includ-ing loans from other governments and multinational institutions as well as debts incurred by its private

companies. Sources said Thursday that the banks by letter that they have decided to remove Argentine credits from the substandard classification. Argentine government loans around be classified as "tother than they have decided to remove Argentine credits from the substandard classification. Argentine government loans a year earlier as buyers apparently German subsidiary were down 10 continue to postnown much have the total property in Management and in

Regulatory and banking sources said that the upgraded status of Argentine loans might make it easilenders to break down the resistance of smaller banks that have refused to lend the debtor nation any new funds in 1985.

Review Committee, an interagency panel that represents the Federal

"We are in a very difficult time,
in which no one knows what might the Currency and the Federal De- happen for the next two or three posit Insurance Corp.

# Franchising's Renewed Popularity

U.S. Entrepreneurs Try 'Updated American Dream'

By Philip S. Gucis
New York Times Service
NEW YORK — Carol Donoughe, 39, walked out on her job as a newspaper's advertising manager in late 1983, and bought a Pop-Ins maid service

A. Gordon Findlay, 43, has an M.B.A. from Harvard and 18 years of corporate experience. A few months ago, he, too, walked out on the corporate world and spent \$27,500 to buy a Sylvan Learning Center. He has bids in on two more. Both are taking part in the resurgence of a business method that has been around for more than a century franchience. than a century: franchising.

And quite a resurgence it is. Nearly 1,800 companies are franchising their wares to some extent, and about 7 percent of the U.S.'s working population either own a franchise or work for one.

Indeed, franchising has become one of the business world's most pervasive institutions, helping companies reduce the costs of expansion and let-ting individuals reduce the risks of entrepreneur-ship. The U.S. Department of Commerce predicts that franchising will account for more than half of retail sales by the year 2000. And the method is starting to account for a hefty percentage of business in the service sector as well.

Not bad for a practice that seemed to have peaked—and to have been ready for a precipitous peaked — and to have been ready for a precipitous slide — only 15 years ago. Throughout the early 1970s, under such headlines as "Franchising's Troubled Dream World" and "Bursting Bubble; Many Franchising Firms Fall on Hard Times," national business publications had chronicled the rise and perceived fall of franchising.

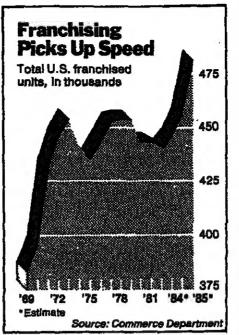
The method, which usually involved franchisees handing over a set amount of cash for the right to distribute a company's product, grew at a frenzied pace through the 1960s. By the 1970s, charlatans abounded, offering deals that seemed too good to be true — and often were. Even companies that acted in good faith often spread themselves too thin, selling so many franchises that they could not fulfill the promises they had made of adequate business and marketing support — or, in some cases, even of an ample supply of product.

The result was an abundance of lawsuits and an

overriding feeling among business analysts that the franchising system, which Ray A. Kroc, the founder of McDonald's, once called "the updated version of the American dream," was turning sour.

They were wrong, but for the right reasons. Had franchising continued to grow without restraint, its proponents concede, it might well have died a painful death. Instead, in moves that even laissezfaire capitalists agreed with, franchising has been

The Federal Trade Commission in 1979 decreed that any company wanting to franchise must make available information ranging from the business



background of its officers to corporate financial

Moreover, consultants and lawyers have established themselves as franchising experts. They are helping franchisees spot questionable fine print on contracts. And they are helping franchisers to develop plans that will not overextend their ability

to provide support.
"Franchising is not the thing it was 15 years ago," said Art Bartlett, president of Mr. Build, a company that franchises home repair services, and the founder of Century 21, a hugely successful chain of franchised real estate brokers.

"Franchising is at the heart of the entrepreneurial system today," he said.
It is not immune to failures, of course. The move

of consultants into the field has brought its own dangers, in that consulting is an unregulated industry and anyone can pose as an expert adviser.

Moreover, some of the franchising ideas of the
recent past have not caught the public's fancy.

For example, numerous franchisees lost their

investments when tanning centers failed to catch on. Tantriffic, the Arkansas company that was the first to sell franchised tanning parlors, was one of the first to go under, dragging hundreds of franchised centers down with it. Still, the victories in franchising outweigh the

defeats. The Commerce Department estimates that

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# U.S. Aides Urge Lifting of Car Quotas

By Clyde H. Farnsworth

New York Times Service WASHINGTON - Most of President Ronald Reagan's cabinet ed variety, was traded Friday at around \$27 a barrel compared with final decision may be made as early the mid-October level of \$26,30. as next week, according to adminis-(AP, Reuters) tration officials.

"I can't find anyone making the case for continuation of the quo-tas," said one highly-placed official who asked not to be identified. "I'd bet any reasonable sum that they come off."

A senior official from another department said Thursday that it was no longer a question of wheth-er the restrictions would be lifted, but what trade concessions Washington could extract from Tokyo in return for the move.

Should the restraints come off, it banking regulators are upgrading the status of loans to Argentina in recognition of the progress that country is making in solving its country in the solving its country is making its country is mak would mean more Japanese cars at

automotive jobs.
"It would be of extreme benefit to consumers because it eliminates an unlegislated auto tax," said Lori Consadori, executive director of grade those loans now that the debtor nation has reached an accord with the International National Section 1982. en by 48 percent, from an average of \$7,500 to \$11,200."

The so-called voluntary quotas went into effect April 1, 1981, the beginning of Japan's fiscal year. Initially, they were to have lasted could be a shot in the arm to profits for one or, at most, two years. The t many financial institutions. fourth year, calling for an import Approximately 320 banks calling of 1.85 million units, will

# Japan Lags U.S. In Auto Output

TOKYO - Japan remained the world's leading producer of all types of motor vehicles in 1984, but its output of cars slipped behind that of the United States for the first time in five years, the Japan Automo-bile Manufacturers' Association said Friday.

Japan's output of all motor vehicles, including cars, trucks and buses, totaled 11,464,920 units last year, an increase of 3.2 percent over 1983. But its auto production dropped 1.1 percent to 7,073,173 units, behind the U.S. output of 7.77 million units for 1984.

The association said auto production slowed because of shiggish domestic sales and the "voluntary restraint" on auto exports to the United States.

Tokyo is now awaiting word from the Reagan administration on whether it wants the Japanese "vol-untarily" to curb shipments for another 12 months, and if so, at what level. The Japanese have been willing to follow Washington's advice each year because of the implicit—
and at times explicit—threat that makers would limit production caing to follow Washington's advice each year because of the implicit — Congress might enact even tougher

Japanese politicians here for the inauguration, led by Susumu Ni-

kaido, vice chairman of the governing Liberal Democratic Party, said that, without restraints, shipments could reach 2.5 million units annuэтол ос ори,ооо поте the present ceiling.

The statement has prompted reaction here from those opposed to lifting the controls. These include Chrysler Corp., Ford Motor Co., the United Automobile Workers union, American Motors Corp. and legislators from auto-producing

General Motors Corp., which has just announced a \$5-billion program to build a small car in the United States by 1989, favors lifting the carbs.

Chrysler's vice chairman, Gerald Greenwald, has warned that 750,000 U.S. jobs could be lost if the restraints were ended.

On Thursday, the UAW released a letter from its president, Owen F. Bieber, to Mr. Nikaido saying that "there is absolutely no way" the additional trade imbalance caused by the greater imports "can be tol-erated."

[Mr. Beiber said that even the increase of 650,000 in imports of Japanese cars, as estimated by Mr. Nikaido, could cost more than 200,000 jobs in the U.S. auto and related industries, Reuters reported from Detroit

pacity, saying the UAW believes that the Japanese industry has the (Continued on Page 13, Col. 5)

# **Durable Orders** In U.S. Dropped 2.1% Last Month

WASHINGTON — Orders to the year to \$1.183 trillion, a 15.9 percent increase. In 1983, ship-tary orders, decreased 2.1 tary orders, decreased 2.1 percent.

Meanwhile, the Labor Department percent and Thursday that moderate inflation helped limit wage inslightly below the pace set in 1983, creases secured in major collective the government reported Friday.

The Commerce Department said cent in 1984, the lowest ever re-

the gain last year was almost as strong as the 17.1-percent increase in 1983, the first year of recovery from the recession. Orders for ducrease since the department began keeping the statistic 17 years ago. Under lump-sum contracts workrable goods - large items expected

to last three or more years — to-taled \$1.211 trillion last year. But the momentum for 1984 came in the first half of the year. Since late summer, demand for manufactured goods has softened considerably. The December decline marked the third time in the last four months that the level of new orders has dropped,

However, many analysts have been encouraged by a number of signs that U.S. economic growth is picking up. Earlier this week, the government sharply revised up-ward its estimate for growth during the final three months to a rate of 3.9 percent. This was more than double the 1.6-percent growth rate from July through September. Some analysts say growth in the

first half of the year could well average 5 percent or more although many expect a decline in the second half as interest rates rise again. New orders last month totaled \$101.9 billion, down \$2.1 billion

from the November level. The decline was the result mainly of a 17.6-percent drop in orders for military hardware. Commerce Sec-

retary Malcolm Baldrige said the Without the drop in military orders, new orders would have ments on the debt, already the

dropped only 0.3 percent in De-cember. The December level for nonmilitary durable goods is still 3.3 percent below the peak set in May.

Recent efforts to curtail inven-

tory investment have held down orders, and strong foreign competi-tion has meant some lost markets,"

Commerce Secretary Malcolm Balwhich predicted in August that this

drige said in a prepared statement. Within the major industry groups, transportation showed the total approaching \$210 billion. largest decrease, declining 6.7 per-

generally been declining since May, tration and congressional leaders

Separately, the department said. Thursday that the number of Americans making first-time claims for jobless benefits rose by 80,000, to 437,000, in the week end-

included in the wage rate.

ers receive a payment that is not

U.S. Deficit

# \$15.2 Billion In December

WASHINGTON — The federal government spent \$15.2 billion ber, making the deficit for the first three months of fiscal 1985 14.4 percent worse than a year earlier, the Treasury Department reported

For the first quarter of the fiscal year, which began in Oct. 1, spendstrongly positive because the fall strongly positive because the fall came after orders more than doubled in December.

year, which began in Oct. 1, spening ing has outpaced revenues by \$72.4 billion. This compares with a deficit of \$63.3 billion during the same period in fiscal 1984. period in fiscal 1984.

> third-largest item in the budget be-hind social services and defense, was even greater. Interest payments for the first quarter of this fiscal year totaled \$49.4 billion, 23.3 percent above the level a year

> year's deficit would be lower than 1984, now is braced for a red-ink

That would be well above the cent with most of the drop resulting record of \$195.4 billion set in fiscal

from the decline in military orders.

Primary metals were down 4.6

percent to a total of \$10.3 billion,
near the low for the year of \$10.1

billion recorded in September.

1983. The fiscal 1984 deficit was

\$175.3 billion.

The growth in the expected deficit this year, caused in part from slower-than-anticipated growth in Machinery orders, which have the economy, has left the adminisdropped 1.1 percent in December. scrambling to find more ways to Shipments of durable goods rose cut spending to keep future budget 0.6 percent in December to \$102.4

# Norway Approves Foreign Banks

OSLO — The government gave official approval Friday for foreign banks to begin operations in Norway, but rejected applications by three Swedish banks, a government spokesman said.

It approved applications from Chase Manhattan Bank N.A., Citibank N.A. and Manufacturers Hanover Trust Co. of New York, Banque Paribas, Banque Indosuez and Banque Nationale de Paris of Paris, and Samuel Montagu & Co. of London.

Citibank as de late Friday that it planned to open its Norwegian wit Citibank AS on Monday.

mit, Citibank AS, on Monday.

The government rejected applications by the Swedish banks because Sweden does not allow operations by foreign banks. One U.S. bank representative said that the foreign banks' opera-tions probably would concentrate on overseas corporate concerns involved in Norwegian industrial activity and foreign-exchange deal-

Under the new legislation, the banks would operate as Norwegian limited companies and not as branches of international firms. Financial ceilings would be placed on their activities.

Sweden is the last non-Communist country in Europe to ban foreign banking. Last October, a Swedish government committee recommended that foreign banks be allowed to open subsidiaries, but not branches, by early 1986.

# **Domestic W. German Orders** For Autos Said to Fall 22%

By Warren Getler

would be classified as "other transfer risk," a category that alerts banks to pay special attention to the loans but that does not require any other action.

A seven-week strike by IG Metall, companies. the metalworkers' union, brought Heidi Gottstein, a BMW spokeser for Argentina and its major bank the West German car industry to a woman, said BMW has suffered a near standstill last summer.

down 16 percent in October and 18 percent in November from yearearlier levels, fell 22 percent in De-The loans to Argentina were upgraded by the Country Exposure whole," said Wolfgang Weger, association spokesman.
"We are in a very difficult time,

months regarding the government's

"Domestic orders, which were

proposals to grant tax concessions International Herald Tribute to cars meeting new emission stan-FRANKFURT — West Germa-dards," Mr. Weger said.

any other action.

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That usually cuts into the income that they can declare for those loans.

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#### **BUSINESS ROUNDUP**

# 3 European Telephone Concerns Sign Technology-Sharing Accord

MILAN — Three of Europe's leading telephone companies have signed a technical cooperation accord here that is designed to enable them to compete with the world leader in telecom American Telephone & Telegraph Corp.

The agreement, signed Thursday, links Italtel of Italy, CIT-Alcatel of France and Siemens of West Germany, with Britain's Plessey PLC expected to join in the next few weeks. AT&T signed a technical and marketing agreement with the Olivetti SpA group last year.

The accord in effect expands an alliance formed last September hetween Italtel and CIT-Alcatel and calls for joint research and development to promote equipment standardization in the next generation of telephone exchanges.

The new exchanges, which could appear by the end of the decade, will be capable of transmitting pictures, texts and computerized data. The four companies account for 26 percent of the world telecommunications market. They are eclipsed only by AT&T, which controls 29 percent of the world market.

The four European companies have 5.3 million lines between them, compared with 6.1 million for AT&T and 2.8 million for another U.S.

"The Europeans have understood that they absolutely have to combine their efforts if they want to meet U.S. and Japanese competition," an Italtel official said.

# **Company Earnings**



# From Chapter 11

proceedings.
It said its plan settled about \$1.6 billion of debt through the payment of about \$600 million in cash and through issues of debt and equity of the reorganized company. about \$173 million in extendable two-year notes; \$246 million of nine-year debentures; \$150 million of 20-year debentures and about 96 million shares of common stock and 12 million common stock pur-

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# Marimekko Acquired by Amer Group

STOCKHOLM — Marimekko AB, a Finnish maker of designer textiles, clothes and other products, has been sold by members of its founding family to Amer Group Ltd., a Finnish tobacco, publishing

Amer officials said Friday they paid the equivalent of 40 million Finnish markkaa (\$6 million) in cash and stock for 75 percent of Marimekko's voting stock, or around 33 percent of the total capi-

Marimekko's president, Kari Mattson, said the controlling interest was sold because the three grown children of the company's late founder, Armi Ratia, appar-ently disagreed over the future of

Despite a forecast of slightly lower earnings in 1984, Mr. Matt-son said "Marimekko is a company that was very desirable to many prospective buyers,"

Sales in 1984 rose to 110 million markkaa from 103 million markkaa in 1983, he said. Earnings have not been published, but are expected to be somewhat lower than the 1983 net profit of 7 million markkas.

Total worldwide sales of Marmekko brands, including items made on license, amounted to 330 million markkaa in 1984. The United States, with license sales of 145 million markkan, was the single largest market for Marimekko items, followed by Japan.

According to Mr. Mattson, the transfer of control will not lead to

products comprised 35 percent of sales in fiscal 1983-1984, and included the license manufacture of Marlboro cigarettes in Finland.

Other activities include publishing, commercial printing and auto-distributorships for Citroen and

# Wickes Emerges

SANTA MONICA, California - Wickes Companies said Friday that its joint plan of reorganization will become effective on Saturday, thereby completing its emergence from Chapter 11 reorganization

# and industrial conglomerate.

Scandia officials blamed the fall in earnings on a 310-million-kronor loss sustained in 1984 by Scancasualty insurance division.

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#### Scandia Reports Sharp Fall in Earnings Last Year Premium revenues totaled 12.83 in bookkeeping practices. Adjusted billion kronor, up 35 percent from for that amount, premium revenues for that amount, premium revenues rose 14 percent, Scandia said; from 314 million kronor in 1983. eal Herold Tribune STOCKHOLM - Scandia,

9.45 billion kronor in 1983, but the rose 14 percent, Scandia said; Sweden's largest insurance group, reported Friday that 1984 pretax earnings plunged to 10 million kro-nor (\$1.1 million) from 696 million

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nese-language software developed.

The third agreement calls for more than 30,000 Wang PC office computers to be assembled in southeastern China, for sale throughout China and for export to

to 2.03 billion kronor.

The losses by Scandia International greatly exceeded forecasts made in late September by the company. At that time, Scandia's management said the international division would have a loss of around 25 million kronor. The whole group, excluding a separate life insurance company, was then expected to show a profit of 180 million kronor for 1984.

September caused the company's shares to decline at the time on the Stockholm stock exchange, but the exchange was closed Friday because of building renovation.

New Oil Strike

By Occidental

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# After Bailout MANILA - Monetary officials

Officials Close

on Friday closed the largest savings bank in the Philippines and placed it under receivership just five months after attempting a bailout to save it from collapse.

A statement by the Monetary Board said the Banco Filipino Savings and Mortgage Bank "has be-come insolvent" and failure to place it under receivership would Scandia's gloomy forecast in "involve probable loss to the depositors and creditors."

It was placed under receivership of the government-owned Philippine National Bank, according to an announcement from the presi-

dential palace.

The 20-year-old bank, the nation's largest savings institution, had 89 branches nationwide, assets of 4.7 billion pesos (\$260 million) and 3.7 million depositors in 1983. Heavy withdrawals forced Banco Filipino to close July 23 for

a nine-day "holiday." President Ferdinand E. Marcos ordered the central bank to rescue Banco Filipino with 3 billion pesos, a move that created problems during talks with the International

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#### **COMPANY NOTES**

BAT Industries PLC is hoping to acquire West German consumer financial service businesses and nonfood retailing companies, but does not plan to buy a bank, according to the chairman, Patrick Sheehy.

BP Singapore Pte. has entered into a contract with China National Chemicals Import & Export Corp. to process 10,000 barrels per day of Shengli crude for 1985, a company official said.

Cheung Kong Holdings Ltd., whose stake in International City Holdings Ltd. has risen to more than 35 percent, has been exempted from making a general offer for International City, Hong Kong's Securities Commission said.

Deutsche Bahcock AG has proposed a dividend of 3 Deutsche transfer of control will not lead to any changes in management.

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had been satisfactory, but gave no amounted to 9.43 million ordinary profit figures. shares, or 23.98 percent.

Federated Department Stores said it plans to sell its Boston store division, Filene's, to Bergner & Co. of Peoria, Illinois, for \$80 million.

General Motors Corp. plans to spend about \$105 million to convert part of its Oldsmobile division plant in Lansing Township, Michigan, for the assembly of a new front-wheel-drive car.

B.F. Goodrich Co. said it expects to report a net loss of about \$7 million for the fourth quarter of 1984, largely because of a \$6-mil-lion after-tax provision associated with a phasing out of industrial rubber product manufacturing.

Hanson Trust PLC said that its

Merck & Co. will cut its equity in its Indian subsidiary, Merind Ltd. to 40 percent from 60 percent, Merck said. Merind, with 60-percent Indian ownership, will become an Indian company under laws on foreign investment in India

Ogilvy & Mather International, the U.S. advertising agency, said if will change its name to Ogilvy Group, subject to shareholder approval, at its annual meeting on May 14.

Pheips Dodge Corp. workers at plants in Arizona have voted overwhelmingly to decertify 13 unions that have been on strike against the company for 19 months.

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# and each new discovery only serves to highlight the area as the newest major oil-producing region in the world," Dr. Armand Hammer, Occidental's chairman, said Thursday, The well tested light oil at a

rate of 6,200 barrels a day, the company said. Occidental is an equal partner with Ecopetrol, the Colombian national oil company, in developing the re-

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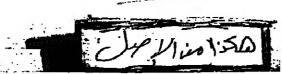
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# **End Sought** To Curbs on **Japanese Cars**

(Continued from Page 9) ability to build an additional 2 million cars annually.]

Each additional 100,000 units represents about \$1 billion in an entomotive trade deficit that totaled \$17 billion in 1984. The auto deficit represented about half of the total bilateral trade deficit of \$33 billion.

Presidential advisers believe the United States must get the Japa-nese to open their markets to U.S. goods rather than restrict the U.S. market to Japan.

Trade officials noted that negotiations will begin next week in To-kyo as part of the follow-up to the The new talks will be aimed at reducing import barriers in Japan and increasing sales of U.S. goods sold in the areas of telecommunica-

tions equipment, computers and software, lumber and medical apparatus and pharmaceuticals. One analyst here suggested that there has been a dramatic role reversal in preparation for the negotiations. The Japanese, he said, now want the auto restraints continued because this would relieve pressure on them to make market-access concessions in the other sectors, which are politically sensitive for members of the Liberal Democrat-

**■** Senator Seeks Extension The new Republican chairman

ic Party.

of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Senator Richard G. Lugar of Indiana, said Thursday that he favors continuing import restraints on Japanese cars for another year because the strong dollar prevents U.S. automakers from being competitive, The Washington Post reported from Washington. He added, however, that he has a

"hunch" that Mr. Reagan would remain silent on whether the quo-tas should be continued for a fifth year. This would place the Japanese in the uncomfortable position of having to make the decision themselves about whether to continue the restraints.

"is to keep things pretty much as they are," although he said the quotas for the Japanese should be raised "slightly higher."

# West Germany Sees Steady Growth Of Economy, Fall in Unemployment

BONN — The government has predicted continued steady growth of the West Germany economy in 1985 and the first fall in unemployment for six years.

At a cabinet meeting Thursday, top ministers predicted that the German economy would grow by about 2.5 percent or more, broadly in line with the gains made last year. Independent predictions so far have ranged between 2 and 3 percent.

The forecasts are the crucial material from the government's annua

economic report, which is to be published at the end of this month. The government said inflation, currently at the lowest level of any major Western industrialized nation, was expected to fall to an average 2 percent from 2.4 percent last year.

Unemployment, seen by Chancellor Helmut Kohl's government as

its main economic challenge, would drop for the first time since 1979, albeit only slightly, to average under 9 percent, after being at 9.1 percent during the last two years.

# **Entrepreneurs Seek Profits,** Los Angeles talks on Jan. 2 between President Reagan and Prime Freedom in U.S. Franchises

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from franchising.
"You can hardly buy anything today that doesn't go through franchising in some fashion," said Thomas H. Murphy, publisher of the Continental Franchise Review.

The Greyhound Corp., for example, recently said it would extend its service to more rural areas by

products. Sylvan Learning Corp., percentage of revenues. for example, in 1980 started franchising centers to teach supplementary reading and math skills to children and adults. According to of women in the work force. Many Berry Fowler, chairman and chief want to run their own businesses executive officer, the company already has sold 152 franchises, and "lessens the risk factor," says Anits revenues have zoomed to \$2.6 million a year. The growth of franchising has

brought with it a new diversity in than 100 years after Singer Sewing Machine Co. sold the first fran-chise in 1863, so-called trade-name franchises, in which companies sold nothing more than the right to "Our best bet," Mr. Lugar said, distribute their products, were the only franchises around.

But now, many trade-name franchises are going out of business. In 1976, for example, there were more

than 226,000 franchised gasoline franchising accounted for \$456.7 service stations. The Commerce billion in sales last year, more than Department expects that, when a fourfold-rise from 1969, when 1984 figures are tallied, they will only \$112.8 billion in sales came show that the number slipped to show that the number slipped to about 130,000.

Today, the fastest-growing form of franchise is the business-format franchise, in which the franchisee gets access not only to the company's products or trademark, but Moreover, large service compa-nies are going the franchising route. porate support services. For example, a typical franchise contract would spell out the accounting, hiring, training, advertising and mar-keting support that the franchisee franchising the right to use its em-blem to small regional bus lines. In fact, many of the newer fran-keting support that the franchisee can expect. The cost to the franchi-see would be a one-time fee of sevchises are in services rather than eral thousand dollars and a yearly

The continued growth of all types of franchises is at least in part attributable to the growing number drew Kostecka, a Commerce Department expert on franchising. "I needed the direction a fran-

chise would give me," said Mrs. types of franchise deals. For more Donoughe, the former advertising than 100 years after Singer Sewing manager who now runs one of 93 Pop-Ins maid services. ADVERTISEMENT

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# The Budget: New Life as **Starting Point**

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of municipal bonds, now at 10.07 percent, is a bit higher than its 10percent rate of a year ago.

Lawrence Kudlow, who served as chief OMB economist earlier in the Reagan administration and is now an investment counselor, calls the budget ontlook "a disaster." He describes spending as "out of con-trol" and the deficit "angling up-ward on a dangerous pro-cyclical

According to his estimates, federal outlays for the fiscal year 1985, which began last Oct. 1, will reach \$982 billion, with revenues of just \$737 billion, for a deficit of \$245 James J. O'Leary, economic con-sultant to United States Trust Co.

of New York, taking account of the budget deficits, supply-demand conditions in the credit markets, anticipated Federal Reserve policies, and the expectations of investors, says the decline in interest rates "has bottomed out or is close to doing so." He expects both short- and long-

term rates to remain near current levels through the early spring before starting to rise gradually in the second half as the rate of economic growth "strengthens somewhat and the inflation rate rises moderately. But his big worry is that, with

huge budget deficits hanging over the economy, interest rates will rise sharply in every period when the private sectors expand and meet the competition of heavy Treasury borrowing. Such anxiety does not appear to

faze Mr. Reagan. He exulted this week over the 6.8-percent increase in the gross national product last year, the biggest since 1951, and the 3.7-percent rise in the GNP price deflator, the lowest inflation since 1967. If they're so smart," he seems to be saying, "why ain't they President?

#### West German Car Orders Off (Continued from Page 9) decline of "around 7 percent" in percent.

domestic orders for December from the year-earlier period.

"Currently we have no plans for Additionally, they say, Mercedes is short shifts or layoffs, but we have well stocked with various diesel-withdrawn plans for increasing employment this year," Mr. Witzel great demand recently.

maker of Mercedes, could not be A VW spokesman, Ortwin Wit-zel, said VW's domestic orders, in-sources say the company's upscale cluding those for its subsidiary, domestic customers are not as like-Audi AG, were down 15 percent in ly to be deterred from buying new December from the level of a year cars by possible future tax breaks

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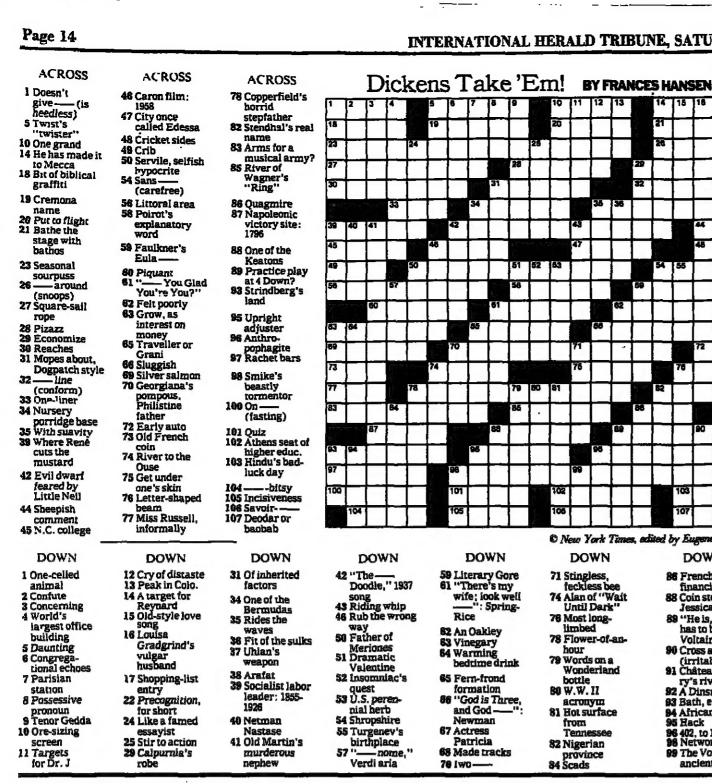
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### Company Earnings Revenue and profits, in millions, are in local currencles unless afterwise indicated

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husband-having crossed the Atlantic twice and sailed in and around most of Western Europe, the Caribbean and the East Coast of the United States WE are all captive to the romance of scalaring tales, the burble of a bow wave rolling off on -know better. She remembers quickly the realities, and tells her tales.

> There are tales of other people met at sea, petty tyrants who like being captains, drunken and threatening French soldiers who appear on deck in the middle of the night, drifters whose inability to get along on shore with normal people leads them to the isolation of oceans, where they float from port to port, having little to offer except carping about high ood prices.

There are tales, too, about weather, and not just the stormy stuff. After sailing through four straight days of smothering cold fog off the coast of Maine, Knight writes: "I experienced a kind of sensory deprivation that I had never known. I had never in my life felt so totally cut off. Trying to imagine there foot dimensions of our ketch required an extraordi-nary effort of the will and imagination." Finally reaching safe harbor, she resolved never to sail

again, a promise to herself penetrated by a night's sleep and sailor's forgetfulness. No one, of course, held a gun to Knight's head

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and said, "Sail, or else." And it is partly the sensations and memories of the grand moments that keep her not too far from a teak deck: leisurely motoring across Europe from Holland to the Mediterranean via canals with the ever-present odor of French bread permeating the cabin, or exploring delicate beaches on tiny coastal Maine islands.

Nevertheless, there were extenuating circumstances that got Knight into all this. First, her parents, ironically, gave the couple the sailboat as a wedding gift. Then there was a deal: while sitting in the copilot seat of a small Piper Cherokee airplane and staring at the gas gauge. Mrs. Knight agreed to cross the Atlantic in the wedding present if Mr. Knight would abandon flying. Such are the negotiation of the start o tions of terror, trading momentary high fear for the low continuous roll of anxiety.

One can blunder almost anywhere into this journal of adventures and meet with the author's striking sensations: from a wave that knocks her splat onto the cabin floor, a "mammoth black shape as tall as the mizzenmast racing toward us" that "drops its black jaws into a death grin of white spikes," to an idyllic morning on the tiny Danish island of Anholt, "a watercolor world of pale green dune grass, a milky sea, and fragile blue sky. Figures bronze-and-biscuit color walked down a wide beach fringed with sand dunes on an upper ridge."

Nevertheless, the charm, grace and character of Knight's lyrical travelogue and stunning statement of adventure would not be enough for those who do not know a tiller from a tack, so there must be more. One senses the former Kathryn Lasky would not stoop to simple boat-book writing, no matter how elegant. She reaches beyond, to vulnerable autobiography and biography that chart the odyssey of a mixed marriage: a woman of Russian-Jewish heritage and a man who could trace ancestors to the Mayflower, she a nest-builder and he an adventurer, her writing and his filmmaking, a woman of style and a man of nature. There is nothing at all simple about either of them, especially her love-hate rela-tionship with the sea and small boats.

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itself, the symmetry of sails set like vertical wings against an azure sky. But life aboard a small boat at

Far offshore, waves can seem to be higher than

mountains, and the plunge into a trough between

them is like an out-of-control ride down a snowy

slope in a house on skis. Nevertheless, sailors bear

the romance of their obsession proudly and tend to

keep secret how much of serious sailing is punishing and miserable. Not Kathryn Lasky Knight, who has sailed enough miles to preach the truth with certain-

ty. Her journal entry on July 8, 1974, when she was halfway across the Atlantic in a 30-foot sailboat:

I know what she meant. And so do other sailors,

to tempting daydreams of gourmet meals perking away atop a gimbaled stove as a setting sun fires a sky orange. But then her alarms go off, She and her

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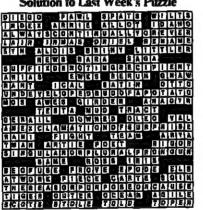


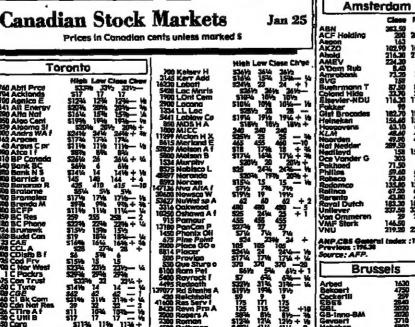
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SINGAPORE - Overseas Union Bank Ltd. said Friday that it would cut its prime lending rate 4 percentage point to 8% percent, effective Monday. It was the fifth local bank to lower its rate by 4 point in the latest round of prime

It also said fixed-deposit rates would fall, with one-month deposits dropping to 5.5 percent from 5.75 percent.

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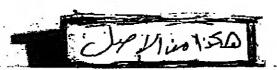
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**SPORTS** 



# Flutie to Sign Contract With USFL's Generals

BOSTON — Doug Flutie, the 1984 Heisman Trophy winner, has reached verbal agreement on a long-term contract with the New Jersey Generals, and should sign with the United States Football League club next Tuesday or Wednesday, his attorney, Bob Woolf said Friday, "We've reached an agreement

and we have given a commitment to them and Doug will be going to the New Jersey Generals," Woolf

Woolf said he reached agreement on a contract for the Boston College quarterback in talks Thursday with Generals' owner Donald Trump and the club's president,

Jay Seltzer. He refused to reveal details of the contract, but it was believed to be worth at least \$7 million over at least five years.

The deal would make the Boston College quarterback one of the highest paid pro football players and among the highest paid rookies in any sport.

Last year former Brigham Young quarterback Steve Young signed a 43-year, \$40 million contract with the Los Angeles Express of the USFL but Flutie's contract would contain more in annual pay if the reports are correct.

Gary Croke, the Generals' director of public relations, said there would be no comment from the eam until a news conference later in the day at the University of Central Florida in Orlando, where the team is now in training.

# Rangers Win 1st for Patrick

NEW YORK - A snowstorm added. but the Detroit Red Wings could

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not stop Craig Patrick from win-ning his first game behind the beach.

Power-play goals by Ron Greschner and Chris Kontos Thursday night helped the New York Rangers defeat the Red

The victory came in Patrick's Bullets Turn to Old Hands first game as coach since taking over on an interim basis from Herb Brooks, who was fired Monday. Patrick, who also serves as the Rangers general manager, was supposed to begin his new duties Tresposed to b was postponed when more than

two feet of snow fell in Buffalo, "I'm happy with the effort," said Patrick, who also served as the Rangers' interim coach in 1980-81. "Our team became stronger and stronger as the night wore on. I was nervous, I was downright scared.

Rookie Clande Loiselle gave Detroit a 1-0 lead at 4:31 of the first period Greschner's goal at 16:11 of the

first put New York ahead to stay.
He tapped the rebound of a Grant Ledyard point shot past Micalef. Elsewhere, Boston stopped Buffalo 5-2. Quebec edged Montreal 4-3 and the New York Islanders dumped Toronto 4-1.

very acceptable. There were im-provements made" in the offer initially presented by the Generals

He said the final paperwork still had to be completed, but that Flu-tic probably would report to New Jersey's training camp in Orlando

utive Heisman Trophy winner to sign with the new league, following running backs Herschel Walker, who joined the Generals, and Mike Rozier, who was with Pittsburgh

The National Football League does not hold its draft until April 30. The Buffalo Bills, who have the first pick, had said Flutie was ng several players they were considering for that choice

Woolf said Flutic decided to accept the Generals' offer, in part, "because this is a very attractive situation with the Generals. What is there to wait for. We have noth-

in Orlando on Tuesday, Woolf and Seltzer met for about six hours. "We bridged a lot of differences there," Woolf said, "I thought in my own mind that we had a deal, but I wasn't sure."

Woolf was in New York Thursday morning for a television appearance and contacted Trump shortly afterwards.

"Based on that conversation" and another with Seltzer, he called Flutie in the afternoon and recommended that the player accept the

"I said, why don't you talk it over with your dad. He did and called back about a half hour later and said, 'Fine, I'm ready to com-mit,'" Woolf said. The opportunity to play in the

New York area was a major factor in Flutie's decision, his attorney The 5-foot-914-inch Flutie set major college career records this

season for total offense and passing yardage as he led Boston College to a 10-2 record and a Cotton Bowl victory over Houston. The Eagles ended the season ranked fifth in

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sidelines, they have had to look for

others to dish out the main course.

provided the muscle Thursday

night as the Bullets defeated the

Dallas Mavericks 93-92.

Greg Ballard and Tom McMillen



West Germany's Maria Epple heads for victory in the slalom at Arosa, Switzerland Friday.

# Epple Edges McKinney in Slalom

AROSA, Switzerland — West German veteran Maria Epple European season all winter, forced edged American Tamara McKin- a switch to the slalom. ney by just one hundredth of a second Friday to score her first World Cup slalom victory.

The West German posted an aggregate time of 1 minute 48.11 seconds for her two runs down the

"I've been skiing in the Cup cira slalom," said 26-year-old Epple, whose four World Cup successes have all come in the giant slalom.

A downhill race had originally

cuit for 10 years, and finally I won been scheduled for Friday but con-

With 'Beef Brothers' on Shelf, when the 6-foot-7, 215-pounder was forced to move to the center

power forward, can't play because of a wrist injury and Robinson is out with injuries to his right leg.

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"If you want to win, you have to ski like that. I virtually automated my moves into the rapid gate

> "Of course, if you win by next to nothing, you are lucky," she con-tinued. "But I felt great coming down in the first heat, while in the second. I lost my rhythm a bit in

McKinney claimed she was not too disappointed at placing second.

"Of course, I would have preferred to finish first, but Maria skied real well. I tried to catch her, but I lost a bit of time in the midsection of the first run where the track was rutty and I skied erratic."

Hess, who has yet to win a race mentioning she had lost out by a this season, dropped more than a mere four hundredths of a second second in a tricky, icy turn in the to Switzerland's World Cup cham-midsection of the first heat when pion Erika Hess in another close- she had to correct so much she almost came to a standstill. "I took This time, Hess finished third on a too direct line, but if you want to 1:49.15, jumping nine spots with a win, you have to risk something."

"I was real mad after that and went for broke in the second heat. Blanca Fernandez Ochoa of rm happy I moved from 12th to Spain, second after the first heat, third, but not pleased that I never slipped back to fifth place ahead of put together two excellent runs in a

By Alan Elsner

he was transferred to first-division

the first time.

talent in Israeli soccer.

# Johnson Still Supremely Confident

# U.S. Downhill Champion Shrugs Off Austrian Hostility

By Samuel Abt

WENGEN, Switzerland - A year after he beat the Austrians at their own national sport, Bill Johnson is supremely confident about his chances for another major skiing victory. The 1984 Olympic champion in the men's downhill has his sights fixed on the skiing world championships starting at the end of the month in Bormio, Italy.

"It would be nice to steal another medal from the Austrians," the 24-year-old American said. "Bormio is nice and easy on top with open gliding at the bottom. It's the kind of run I like. Wouldn't that be something to win there?"

Savoring the memory of his Olympic triumph with one of his huge, self-assured grins, he went on: "Every kid's dream in Austria and Switzerland is to win the Olympic gold. And I took it from them. The Swiss are good about it when they lose, but the Austrians just can't handle it. The Austrians feel they should win every single race and I

And I didn't let them win the big one."

Not everyone finds Johnson's style eagaging says Harald Schoenhaar, director of the United States Alpine skiing team. "It was awful in Kitzbūhel earlier this month, really frightening. People banged with their fists on the team car and tore at the windshield wipers. They don't like us, and they especially don't like Bill Johnson."

Since the World Cup season began in December, European sports newspapers have carried scathing descriptions of Johnson by Austrian downhillers. "Dirty bluffer" was among the most polite.

In a breach of skiers' etiquette, the Austrians even poked fun at his training runs, in which he lagged nearly 10 seconds behind the leaders. Johnson finished 30th in the first Kitzbühel race and was disqualified in the second when he missed a gate, bringing cheers and hoots from the crowd.

This dislike began in Wengen last year when
Johnson, starting 22d in the prestigious Lauberhorn race, scored his first victory in World Cup competition, also the first for an American down-

Franz Klammer, the 31-year-old Austrian skier who was known in the 1970s as Emperor Franz for his domination of the downhill, led the jeering. In his World Cup career, which started in 1973, Klammer has won 25 downbills, 16 more than the second-ranked Bernhard Russi of Switzerland and 22 more than Johnson.

Despite this record, Klammer is usually as softspoken as Johnson is brash. Although he will not discuss the reasons now, Klammer reacted strongly to Johnson's Lauberhorn victory, the winner revelation that he had bet \$50 on himself with his coach and his remark that "Now it's double or nothing for the next downhill," at Kitzbühel, the king of the downhill runs.

Gleefully, Johnson remembered some of the unkind words Klammer had for him, especially after the Austrian won the Kitzbühel race.

Not even Johnson remembered what Klammer had to say at Sarajevo, Yugoslavia, after Johnson boasted, "This is my kind of course and I think most everybody knows it" and then won the Olympic race. Klammer, the Olympic champion in 1976,

"The Austrians don't need me to lose," Johnson said in the interview. "They destroy themselves without me. Their narrow mindedness destroys

He said he was especially angry with Klammer for attempting to change the fledgling International Association of Downhill Racers into an association of pro downhillers.

"We set this thing up basically to get things changed on the World Cup circuit and the next thing you know Klammer is sending around letters and contacting advertising agencies," Johnson said. "There's a lot of money in store for the guy



Bill Johnson 'The Austrians just can't handle it.'

who organizes a pro circuit, but Klammer won't be

that guy if I can help it."

To all this, Klammer responded reasonably, if ingenuously, in an interview here last weekend. "It's not true I don't like him," he insisted. "He's not a common guy, he's different, he's interesting."

"But maybe the Austrians don't like somebody to beat their racers. He said early in the season he would win at Kitzbühel this year.... The Austrians didn't like it. Maybe that's why they beat on

Or, as Johnson explained his relations with the Austrians, "I've got no problem with them, but they've got a problem with me. Well, that's their

In fact, Johnson has had enough problems this season, his third in World Cup competition. After predicting that he would win seven downhills, he reported in less than top shape and has finished in he top 10 only twice in five races so far.

"Instead of training. I spent most of the off-season promoting Bill Johnson," he admitted, add-ing that a television movie about his life is to be filmed in Sarajevo starting next month. His coaches said Johnson was not yet in his best

condition, but Schoenhaar was optimistic. He has no mental problems with his skiing but physical problems can give you mental problems," the team director said. "He hasn't won yet this year, or come close, but he's going to win more

because he's so good. Johnson agreed with this judgment. "There are seven races left, including the championships," he said. "My confidence is still there. Who says I can't

win the rest?" If not, he continued, he could find solace in his record last year, the Olympic gold medal and World Cup victories at Whistler Mountain in Can-

ada and at Aspen, Colo., in addition to Wengen.
"I've done everything I ever wanted to do, in the
Olympics and in the World Cup," Johnson insisted.
"Being the best in the world last year — I can live off that. Nobody can take that away. Every time I win and somebody says, 'It was too easy,

that's why Bill won,' I say, 'If it was so casy, why didn't you win?' " Just then a skiing fan passed by and asked Johnson, "You going to win today?"
"Why not?" he replied, nodding at one of the

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from Atlanta in the free-agent compensation

SEATTLE—Waived Richie Zisk, designated hitter, for the purpose of giving him his unconditional release.

TORONTO—Selected Tom Henke, pitcher. from Texas in the free-agent compensation

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CINCINNATI—Named D.L. Parco vice resident of finances and Chris Krabbe conpresident of finances and Chris Kreibe con-troller.

MONTREAL—Reached an agreement with Huble Brooks, shortstop, on a litree-year con-

PHILADELPHIA—Purchased the contract of Rolph Citarella, pitcher, from St. Louis to complete an earlier deal in which St. Louis stand Mike Landillore, catcher.

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N.Y. RANGERS—Recolled Miles Bicisdell.

right wing, from New Hoven of the American . COLLEGE HOUSTON—Stated Bill Yearnan, head foot-ball coach, to a two-year contract extension. Bradley 73, 5, Illinois 66

position after McMillen fouled out with four minutes remaining in the "It presents a kind of challenge

when your three big men are out edge out Perrine Pelen by and your fourth fouls out with four dredth of a second. minutes left," Ballard said. The seven-year pro said he was "scared, shakey and worried" at

center "but it was a lot of fun." Ruland, the team's starting center, is out with a strained right shoulder, Mahorn, the starting

The veterans' top-notch play was needed with the "Beef Brothers," Jeff Ruland and Rick Mahorn, plus high-scoring small forward Cliff Robinson sidelined with injuries. McMillen supplied a seasonhigh 15 rebounds in addition to 15 nipped Kansas City 120-119, Denpoints. Meanwhile, Ballard scored 11 points, but hauled in a career best 20 rebounds, some coming 109.

SHFARAM, Israel — Every weekend, carloads of Jewish families arrive in this Arab Galilee competitor, save McKinney, in the second heat.

tinued poor weather and skiing conditions, which have plagued the poles," Epple said.

Weisshorn course, which had a vertical drop of 160 meters (525 feet). She clocked the best time of 54.93 seconds for the first heat and was third fastest on her next run, clocking 53.58 seconds. McKinney, fifth after the open-

ing heat outskied Epple by 1.04 seconds in registering the fastest second-run time of 52.54 seconds to finish with an aggregate 1:48.12. "One hundredth of a second," McKinney shouted in disbelief.

superb run in the second heat to she said.

Rosa Maria Quario of Italy.

Swiss Olympic downhill champi-on Michela Figini scored her first slalom points with a seventhplaced finish to extend her lead at the log of the overall World Cup Star Arab Striker Boosts Israeli Soccer Hopes the top of the overall World Cup with compatriot Brigitte Oertli sec-

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SHFARAM, Israel - Every

the autograph of an Arab star — Zayei Armeli, the most explosive ferring to the Palestine Liberation players to try to make their way in Organization. "I try to ignore it, let Israeli soccer."

perhaps on a higher level than that of Jewish players." "People turn up all the time, I get fan letters from Jewish schoolchilit go in one ear and out the other.

Armeli, 26. "When I recently went two." five games without a goal, I had hundreds of telephone calls from fans, some Arabs but mostly Jews."

His rise as Israel's top striker and "We had no pitches, no boots, no equipment of any kind," he reone of its chief hopes for a place in the 1986 World Cup finals in Mexi-co, has been sudden and dramatic. At the start of last season he was struggling with the local team in the depths of the third division. Then

Macabbi Haifa club and stayed with it until last "They were in eighth place, 13 points behind the leaders, when I joined," Armeli said. He scored 13 goals in the remaining 20 matches and Haifa won the league's title for

The best reply is to score a goal or dren all over the country," said

He began playing soccer as a child in the dusty, narrow alley-ways of Shfaram, a hilltop Moslem-Christian town of 40,000.

called. "Even today, sports facili-ties in [Israeli] Arab towns and villages are way behind what the Jews At 16, Armeli joined the Shfaram

year. "They wouldn't let me go, even though top clubs were after me for years," he said. A bustling center forward, Armeli has a surprising turn of speed

"It meant a lot to me as an Arab for a big man and is strong on the to be hoisted on fams' shoulders and hear them chanting my name." he said.

for a big man and is strong on the ball. He likes to run straight at defenses and is good in the air. His success, and that of Rifat Turk, an "I feel very proud, both as an Arab" But Armeli has also suffered ra-cial hostility. "At away games, fans regular member of the national al colors," he said. "I am aware that try to taunt me with shouts of 'dirty squad for the past five years, has as an Arab, I am under constant Arab' or 'PLO filth,' "he said, reinspired a new generation of Arab scrutiny and my behavior must be

# Houston's 'Twin Towers' Have Twin Records on the Court

The Associated Press
HOUSTON — They call them the Twin Towers, and their similar"Their record has shown they ities do not end with their size and can play together," New Jersey skill on the basketball court. center Mike Gminski said. "It

ably similar statistics for the Houston Rockets, who have won 24 games at the season's halfway point, only five fewer than they managed in all of 1983-84.
The 7-foot Olajuwon is averag-

ing 20.5 points, 11.6 rebounds and 2.5 blocked shots per game, while Sampson's norms are 20.5, 10.3 and 2.3. Olajuwon has scored 863 points to 862 for Sampson. "They are a lot alike in the num-

ber of times they get the ball, the

spots they play on defense, so it's not surprising that they have simi-lar stats," Rockets Coach Bill Fitch "If they weren't evenly distributed, the press would be jumping all over me and the guy who was be-

hind, wondering what was wrong."
So dramatic has the Rockets' improvement been this season that the big postdraft question of whether two All-America college centers could co-exist in the same course record of eight-under par 63

the Twin Towers are on the floor together, it's obvious that Sampson is the designated Mr. Outside and Olajuwon the designated Mr. In- but the conditions were easy Thurs-

"We have different games," Olajuwon says. "That is why I over Tony Sills and Pat Lindsey, been content."

to play together. I'm emoying pm. ... Keid, who got a hole-in-one on the ing at forward, and facing the bas-

Akeem Olajuwon and Ralph
Sampson, the No. I picks in the last
two National Basketball Association drafts, are compiling remarktion drafts, are compiling remark-

going to be stopped is if his mother and father order him back to Nige-With small forward Rodney McCray, who is averaging nearly 15 points a game, the Rockets have a starting front line that only the Boston Celtics can rival.

"They are the only team in the league that could run a 100 percent lob offense," New Jersey Coach Stan Albeck said after a game with the Rockets. "On defense, their size number of times they shoot and the is intimidating. If you're going to take a shot in the paint, it better be a dunk, because they're going to

### Wadkins Fires 63 To Lead L.A. Golf

New York Times Service PACIFIC PALISADES, California - Lanny Wadkins tied a frontcourt has been rendered moot. Thursday in the opening round of Despite their similarities, when the 59th Los Angeles Open golf tournament

The Riviera Country Club's 6.946-yard course is usually tough,

Wadkins had a two-shot lead knew from the first day of training who were at 65. Bob Gilder, Gary camp that I would enjoy playing Koch, Scott Simpson, Bruce with Ralph. And I have. I have Lietzke and Hal Sutton were at 66. Eight players were at 67, including "I'm not surprised by our suc-cess," Sampson said. "Too much the year. Jack Nicklaus, who has was made about us that being able never won at Riviera, and Mike



Zayei Armeli takes the ball around an Israeli defender.

### **ART BUCHWALD**

# Dinner á la (Her) Card

WASHINGTON — From a Newsweek story on Yuppies:
"When American Express found the story of the sto that women were not responding to their overwhelmingly male 'Do You Know Me? series, it launched its 'Interesting Lives' campaign, which features up-to-date activities such as [a woman] taking a man out to dinner to break in her card."

I've seen the ads on TV and I've been impressed with them. But I've always wondered what happens after the girl shows her charge card to the good-looking guy in the lobby of the skyscraper, and they go off to a

very expensive Buchwald

restaurant in New York. The maitre d'hôtel presents the

Woman with credit card to male guest: What is your pleasure? He: Why don't you order for the both of us? She: Pasta verdi with pesto

sauce, steak Diane, soufflé potatoes, endive salad with the house dressing, and a bottle of the nouveau Beaujolais, slightly chilled. Kiwi souffle for dessert. He: You certainly know your

She: You have to if you're on the fast track.

He: I usually don't go to dinner with married women. She: Come on, loosen up. We're

out to have a fun evening. He: I just didn't want you to get She: We are friends. I genuinely any ideas because you're buying me like you for your mind. What

a meal that it will lead to something She: What kind of upwardly mobile person do you think I am?

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He: Having what now! She: Did anyone ever tell you that you have beautiful eyes? Talk to me a little about yourself. He: It's nothing exciting. I was raised in Iowa and came to the Big Apple to make a name in advertis

She: I have some influential friends on Madison Avenue who might help you. They all owe me favors. Here's my card. He: Please don't do that.

She: Do what? He: Hold my hand. I'm not that

kind of guy. She: What kind is that? He: You know. Someone who sleeps around with any woman who has a gold credit card.

She: Let me refill your glass. He: You're trying to get me drunk so I won't know what I'm

doing. wouldn't be a vice president of marketing if people didn't trust me.

He: Let's talk about your husband. What kind of person is he? She: Let's just say he doesn't understand me. He's boring. All he wants to talk about is having chil-

He: And you don't want chil-She: They don't issue gold credit

cards to women who buy Pampers. He: Please take your hand off She: I was trying to find my

napkin. Here, have another glass of wine with your steak Diane. Do you find me attractive? He: Very much. But can't we just have a nice dinner and be friends?

health club do you go to? He: I'm starting to feel tipsy.

Maybe you better take me home. She: If that's what you want. We Have some more wine. Let's drink could have a nightcap at your to having it all and having it now. place. He: No way. I told you not to get

any ideas about the evening. She: But we're the "Me" generation, and we have the whole night ahead of us.

He: I vowed never to get involved with a married woman. She: Why on earth not?

He: Because I don't want to be the "other man," waiting for the phone to ring while you're buying your husband dinner with your eald credit card.

PERSONALS

# 147 Dog Years of Research on Humans

Los Angeles Times Service

SAN FRANCISCO — First
there were "Gnomes," those

beguiling creatures whose every quirk was analyzed in a book that sold a million copies. There followed, inevitably, over the next seven years, volumes about other marvelous or mythical creatures: fairies, wizards, witches. Now comes "Humans," a deliciously irreverent look at the most baffling of all beings.

And any resemblance between

"Gnomes" and "Humans" is exactly the way the "Humans" creators — two San Francisco graphic designers, Mike Dowdall and Pat Welch — planned it.
Thus began 147 years of re-

search, living among the humans. That is, 147 dog years; the authors point out that humans "seem to be uneasy unless they know, at all times, their dog's age translated into human terms." During these years of exhaus-

tive field observation in the humans' habitats, Welch and Dowdall turned up data of extraordinary anthropological significance, to wit:

Objects to be found in the human female habitat include velvet ring caddies, crocheted toilet-paper cozies and framed cal-ligraphy that says things like Life Is a Miracle.

· Objects to be found in the male human habitat include dead plants in abundance everywhere except in the refrigerator, "where you often find live plants. Very simple plants, to be sure, but definitely living."

Dowdall and Welch decided to

collaborate, they said, because they wear the same size clothes, which cuts down on luggage -"anthropological research involves a lot of travel."

Presumably Welch's brother, Dennis, who helped write the text, does not wear the same size, as he was not with them on the book promotion tour. There were other motivations

behind "Humans." Though others jumped on the "Gnomes" bandwagon earlier, Dowdall and Welch did not hesitate to say: "We knew we could draw better." From a single drawing, originally conceived as a poster, a book sprouted and, as Welch put it, "the rest is obscurity."



Pat Welch (left), Mike Dowdall and subject.

Book contract in hand, they retreated to their studio, explaining to clients that they would be unavailable for three months. "Our clients took us at our word," Dowdall said, grimacing.

The months of "exhaustive field observation and meticulous scrutiny" began. Dowdail and the brothers Welch concluded, among other things, that:

Where other beings scrape a

meager living from nature, the human has largely replaced na-ture with cheap, comfortable, dirt-free substitutes. Humans have replaced work

with "symbols of work, such as the 'consultant.'" Dowdall, 35, and Welch, 39, are, by their own definition, Young Adult humans, but "hang-ing on by the skin of our teeth." After that, in the stages of human development, will follow "Still a Young Adult," "Not Getting Any Younger Adult" and "Cool" A coot "keeps seven drawers of socks in the original store wrappers, and occasionally awakes with a start at dinner to shout 'Cleveland!'

Do the two view humans as ridiculous? "Incomprehensible might be the word," Dowdall suggested. Is the male human or the female human the more incomprehensible? Welch: "It's a toss-

We have occasionally gotten slightly adverse reactions from some females." he acknowledged, but insisted, "We've not treated the male with any more dignity."

Most of the females, he noted. have objected to their portrayal of female humans as creatures with "large bottoms." (It was an observation he first made when,

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as a child, he watched a parade of polyester stretch pants at the K

mart he said. But then, most of the males were drawn as decidedly balding. which Dowdall attributes to a personal phobia.

Dowdall was one of the creators, in 1975, of the Pet Rock, a \$4 gift item that sold a million. Giddy with success, the same group marketed 2 "sand breeding kit." He would rather not talk about that little venture. The authors emphasized that they wanted "Humans" to be

more than just funny. Said Dowdall: "'Gnomes' irritated me a little bit because there's a sort of extremism," a message of return to nature, "all of which is fine. except it's anti-human, really. These insipid six-inch twits who run around the forest with dirty fingernails don't exactly broaden the horizons of civilization." Whereas he found the gnomes

"real arrogant," Dowdall perceives humans quite differently; "they're kindly, they're silly and they really try hard to make things work.

That is not to say they aren't strange. For one thing Welch said, "they all have jobs with prescribed purposes and titles, like assistant to the vice president of marketing. Now, what does that human do? Not a damn thing, except write memos."

Nor are the authors able to fathom humans' passion for living in suburbia, both of them having grown up in suburban San Francisco and happy to be City Humans at last. They view subur-bia as a place where. "during the day, everyone is gone except the dogs, who sleep. At night, everyone returns to sleep except the dogs, who bark." Suburban humans "have ex-

tremely sophisticated electronic kitchens, and spend most of their free time cooking over an outdoor

Already, Dowdall and Welch are considering a sequel. After all, they left lots of areas of human life untouched and others barely touched. Religion, politics, commerce . . . Aren't they themselves hu-

"I like to think of myself as with them, but not of them,"

### **PEOPLE**

# Soccer Club Really Wins

whole Brazilian national team, Rio's north zone. Bangu, generally man, met a young woman at a car-nival dance and fell in love. But the woman, who was not named in the bequest, died, Da Silva, who died in December, never married or had children, said his lawyer, Humberto Gazzi. Gazzi described da Silva as a mathematician and engineer but said his fortune came mainly from stock and property dealing. Da Silva left most of the rest of the money Silber, announced the award, sayto an old people's home.

the Soviet Union, has some advice tion, is associated with the universifor Samsotha Smith, the American
girl who visited Russia in July 1983. December 1983, Argentina's first government guides to one of the spring. smaller cities or villages and see how most people live," Polovchak wrote in a Wall Street Journal review of a book by Samantha, "Journey to the Soviet Union." Polovchak, who was 12 when he refused to return from Chicago to his homeland in July 1980, said in the homeland in July 1980, said in the independent rival. The autumn is review that Samantha's "whole trip when Thames Television planned was a setup by the Russian government. It had it all planned — where "Dallas" episodes it bought this she was going to stay, where she was going to go and all the places she was going to see." Samantha, now 12, was invited to visit the Soviet Union after writing in December 1982 to Yuri V. Andropov, the Soviet leader who died last February, to tell him of her worries about nuclear war between the Soviet Union and the United States.

day, but the blue-eved actor, who the BBC said.

Luis da Silva had two main loves: still cuts a dashing figure in films soccer, and a woman who died before he could marry her. When he
died last month at 65, he left about
with 40 family members, racing 5140 million, or close to half his buddies and other friends at an fortune, to the soccer club in the informal cocktail and dinner party low-income section of Rio de Ja- at the beachfront California house neiro where he met his sweetheart. he shares with his wife, the actress With this windfall, we'll buy the Joanne Woodward. Newman and Woodward, who live much of the we'll make the best side in Brazil, year in Connecticut, "decided to year in Connecticut, "decided a losing major league team, has won the Rio championship only twice this century. Da Silva had birthday and their 27th wedding anniversary, which falls on the 29th," a friend said. The couple followed Bangu religiously ever may have to cancel those plans, since he visited the area as a young though, as Woodward came down with the flu this week. 

The government of President Rail Alionsin of Argentina won the first International Democracy Prize, the Center for Democracy announced at the close of a threeday forum for legislators from Western Hemisphere nations. Boston University's president, John ing, "The drum of democracy in Argentina has captured the imagi-Walter Polovchak, who made in- nation of men and women throughternational headlines when he re-fused to return with his parents to new, privately funded organiza-I suggest if Samantha Smith plans civilian president since 1976. The to visit the Soviet Union in the award will be given to him when he future, she should try to go without visits Washington in the early

The British Broadcasting Corp. says it will delay screening this season's remaining episodes of "Dallas" until next autumn, but the state-funded BBC denies the move to start screening the package of month from Worldvision of Los Angeles in a \$1.5-million deal that infuriated the BBC. Michael Grade, controller of the BBC-1 TV channel, which broadcasts "Dallas," threatened Jan. 16 to delay screening the remaining BBC episodes, and now the BBC says Grade had planned all along to take "Dallas" off the air soon and bring it back after the spring-summer holiday Paul Newman turned 60 Satur- season. "It is not a spoiling tactic."

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